

The status of extracting $\sin(2\alpha_{\text{eff}})$ by BaBar

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- BaBar detector
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- Status of $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \pi^-$ analysis
- Conclusion



The Cabibbo-Kobayashi-Maskawa Matrix

Mass eigenstates \neq Flavor eigenstates \rightarrow Quark mixing

B and K mesons decay weakly

\rightarrow modified couplings for charged weak currents:

$$V_{CKM} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix}$$

V_{CKM} unitary and complex

\rightarrow 4 real parameters
(3 angles and 1 **phase**)

Kobayashi, Maskawa 1973

Wolfenstein Parameterization (expansion in $\lambda \sim 0.2$):

$$V_{CKM} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 1 - \lambda^2/2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho - i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1 - \lambda^2/2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1 - \rho - i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

CPV phase

The Unitarity Triangle

B sector:

$$V_{ud}V_{ub}^* + V_{cd}V_{cb}^* + V_{td}V_{tb}^* = 0$$

$$\propto A\lambda^3 \quad \propto -A\lambda^3 \quad \propto A\lambda^3$$

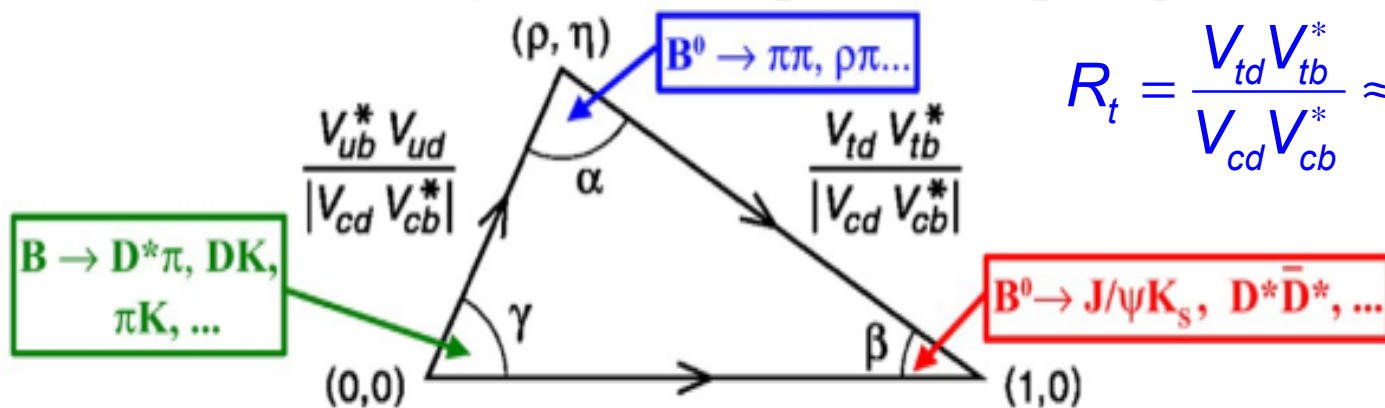
K sector:

$$V_{ud}V_{us}^* + V_{cd}V_{cs}^* + V_{td}V_{ts}^* = 0$$

$$\propto \lambda \quad \propto -\lambda \quad \propto -A^2\lambda^5$$



Expect large *CP*-violating effects in *B*-System



$$R_t = \frac{V_{td}V_{tb}^*}{V_{cd}V_{cb}^*} \approx -\sqrt{(1-\bar{\rho})^2 + \bar{\eta}^2} e^{-i\beta}$$

$$R_u = \frac{V_{ud}V_{ub}^*}{V_{cd}V_{cb}^*} \approx -\sqrt{\bar{\rho}^2 + \bar{\eta}^2} e^{i\gamma}$$

$$\gamma = \arg V_{ub}^*, \quad \alpha = \pi - \gamma - \beta$$

$B^0 \bar{B}^0$ Mixing

Schrödinger equation governs time evolution of B^0 - \bar{B}^0 System:

$$\Rightarrow i \frac{d}{dt} \begin{pmatrix} B^0 \\ \bar{B}^0 \end{pmatrix} = \left(M - \frac{i}{2} \Gamma \right) \begin{pmatrix} B^0 \\ \bar{B}^0 \end{pmatrix} \quad \text{with mass eigenstates:}$$

$$\begin{aligned} |B_L\rangle &\propto p |B^0\rangle + q |\bar{B}^0\rangle \\ |B_H\rangle &\propto p |B^0\rangle - q |\bar{B}^0\rangle \end{aligned}$$

Defining:

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta m_B &\equiv M_H - M_L \approx 2 |M_{12}| \\ \Delta \Gamma_B &\equiv \Gamma_H - \Gamma_L = 2 \operatorname{Re}(M_{12} \Gamma_{12}^*) / |M_{12}| \end{aligned}$$

One obtains for the time-dependent asymmetry:

$$A_{\text{mixing}}(\Delta t) = \frac{N(\text{unmixed}) - N(\text{mixed})}{N(\text{unmixed}) + N(\text{mixed})} = \cos(\Delta m_B \Delta t)$$

where::
 unmixed: $e^+ e^- \rightarrow B^0(\Delta t) \bar{B}^0(\Delta t)$
 mixed: $e^+ e^- \rightarrow B^0(\Delta t) B^0(\Delta t)$

and: $A_{\text{mixing}}(\Delta t = 0) = 1$

- measurement of mixing requires the knowledge of B-flavor – “tagging”



CP-violation in the Standard Model

Three observable interference effects:

$$\left| \frac{q}{p} \right| = \left| \frac{1 - \epsilon_{B_d}}{1 + \epsilon_{B_d}} \right| \neq 1 \Rightarrow \text{Prob}(B^0 \rightarrow \bar{B}^0) \neq \text{Prob}(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow B^0)$$

CP violation in mixing

- small in the B-system because $\Delta\Gamma \ll \Delta M$
- small in the K-system because relevant weak phase is tiny
- the only mechanism in "superweak" model
- observed for neutral Kaon decays

$$|\bar{A}_f / A_f| \neq 1 \Rightarrow \text{Prob}(\bar{B} \rightarrow \bar{f}) \neq \text{Prob}(B \rightarrow f)$$

CP violation in decay

- requires interference between at least two amplitudes
amplitudes must have two phases, one that changes sign under CP (e.g. from CKM), and one that doesn't (e.g. strong phase)
- hard to understand theoretically
- observed for neutral Kaons by E731, NA31, KTeV, NA48

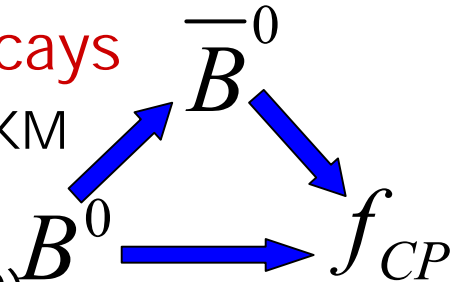
$$\text{Re}(\epsilon' / \epsilon) = (17.2 \pm 1.8_{(\text{stat}+\text{syst})}) \times 10^{-4}$$

CP-violation in the Standard Model

CP violation in the interference of mixing and decays

- in decays dominated by single amplitude, extraction of CKM elements is clean

- observable in time evolution of $B^0\bar{B}^0$ system (assume $\Delta\Gamma=0$)



$$f(\bar{B}_{phys}^0 \rightarrow f_{CP}, \Delta t) = \frac{\Gamma}{4} e^{-\Gamma|\Delta t|} \left[1 + S_{f_{CP}} \sin(\Delta m_d \Delta t) - C_{f_{CP}} \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t) \right]$$

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$$\lambda_{f_{CP}} = \frac{q}{p} \cdot \frac{\bar{A}_{f_{CP}}}{A_{f_{CP}}}$$

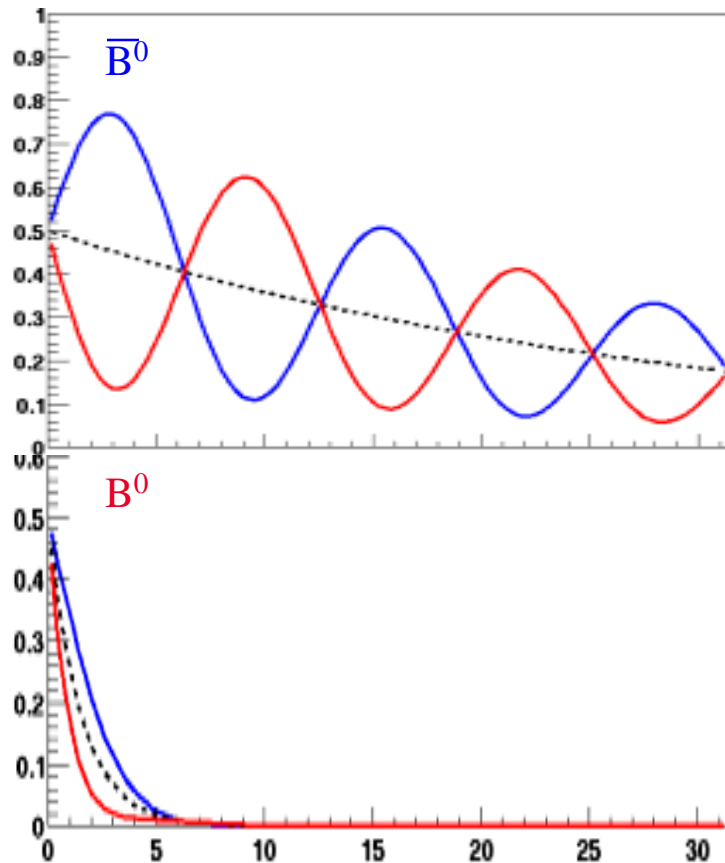
direct CP violation $\rightarrow C \neq 0$

indirect CP violation $\rightarrow S \neq 0$

$$S_f = \frac{2 \operatorname{Im} \lambda_{f_{CP}}}{1 + |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}$$

$$C_f = \frac{1 - |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}{1 + |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}$$

Mixing in $B^0 \bar{B}^0$ system



**Ratio of oscillation
frequency to decay
rate:**

$\sim \text{few}$

**In B decays, the oscillation
frequency is small compared
to the decay rate!**

~ 0.1

SLAC



Stanford
Linear
Accelerator
Center



Linac

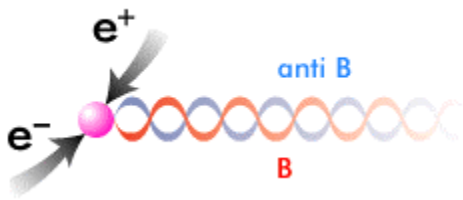
Fixed Target
Experiments

BABAR

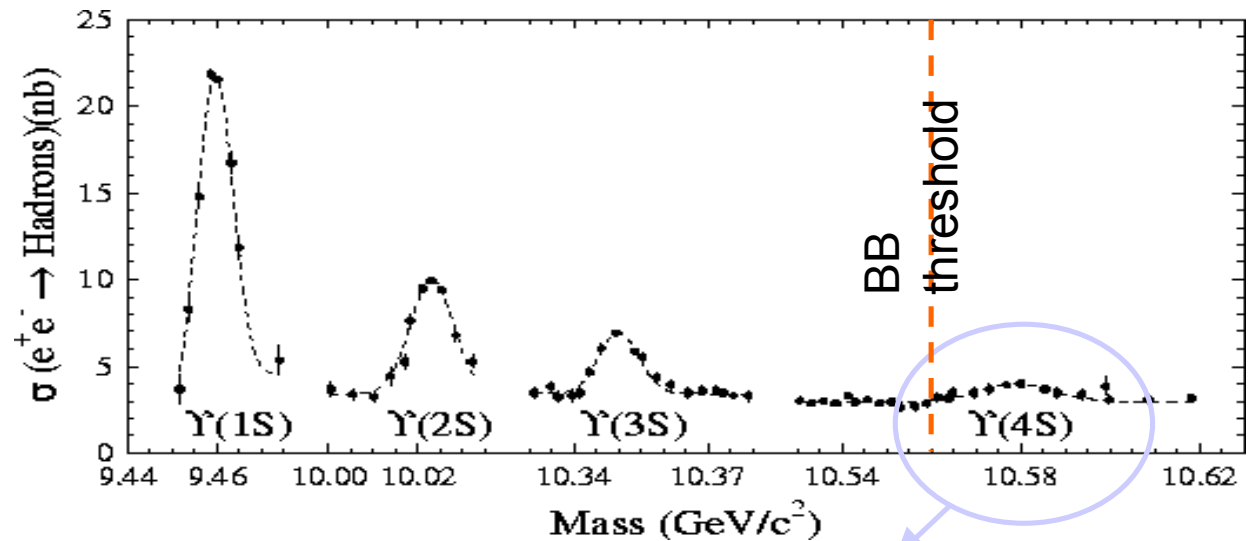
SLD (& MARK II)

The Asymmetric B -Meson Factory PEP-II:

$$e^+e^- \rightarrow \Upsilon(4S) \rightarrow B\bar{B}$$

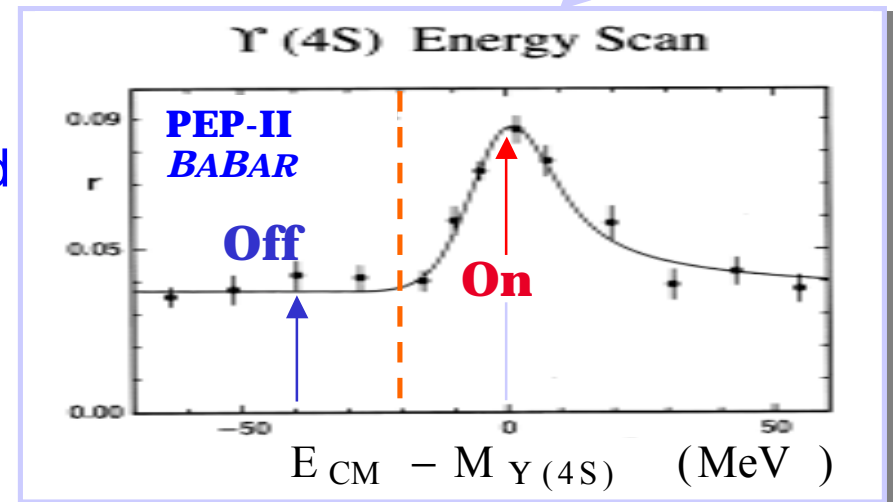


9 GeV e^- on 3.1 GeV e^+ :



■ coherent neutral B pair production and decay (p-wave)

■ boost of $\Upsilon(4S)$ in lab frame : $\beta\gamma = 0.56$



BaBar detector

Instrumented Flux Return

DIRC stand-off box
10752 PMTs in water

Electro Magnetic
Calorimeter

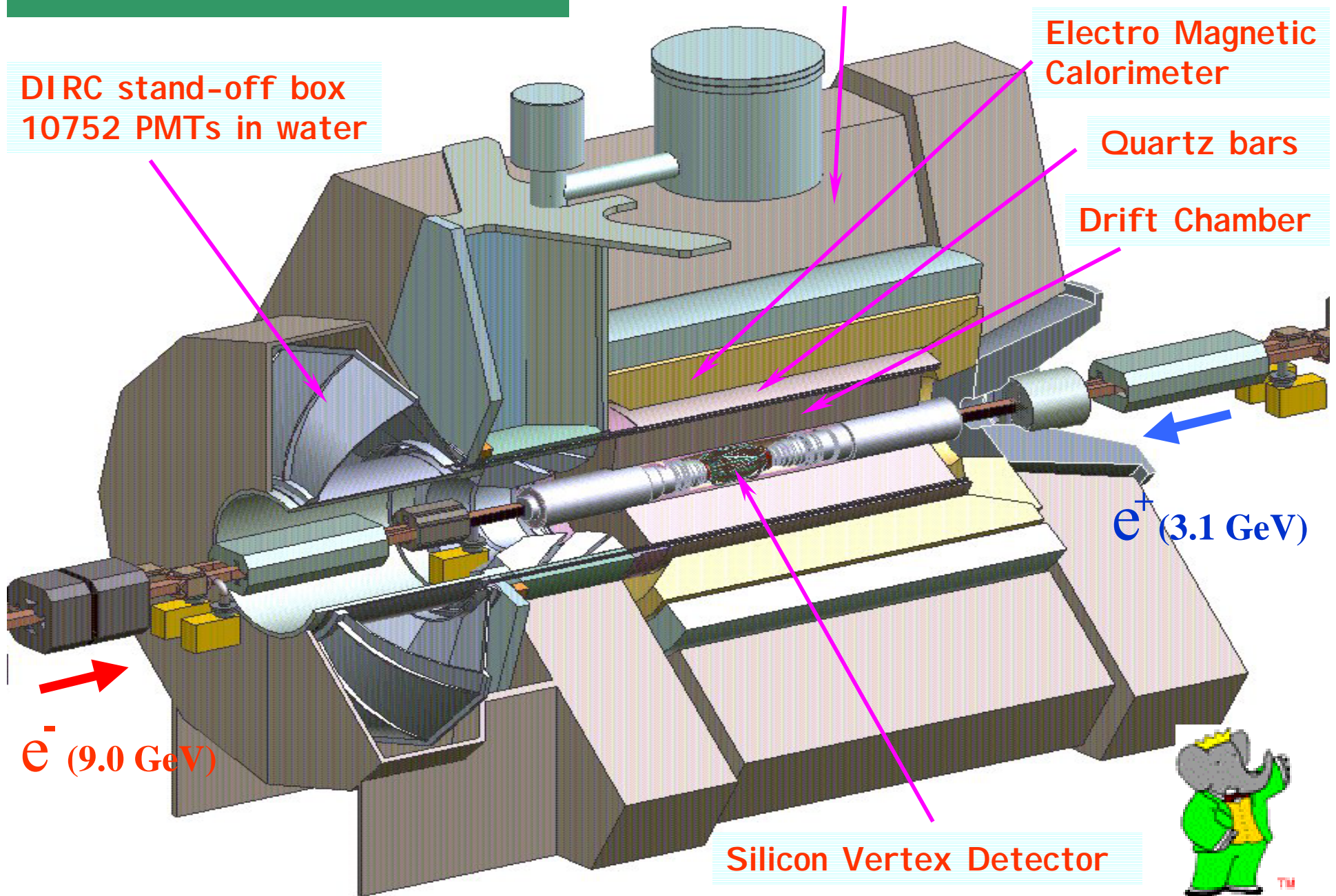
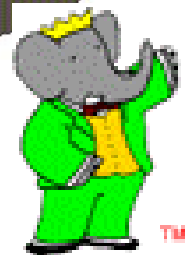
Quartz bars

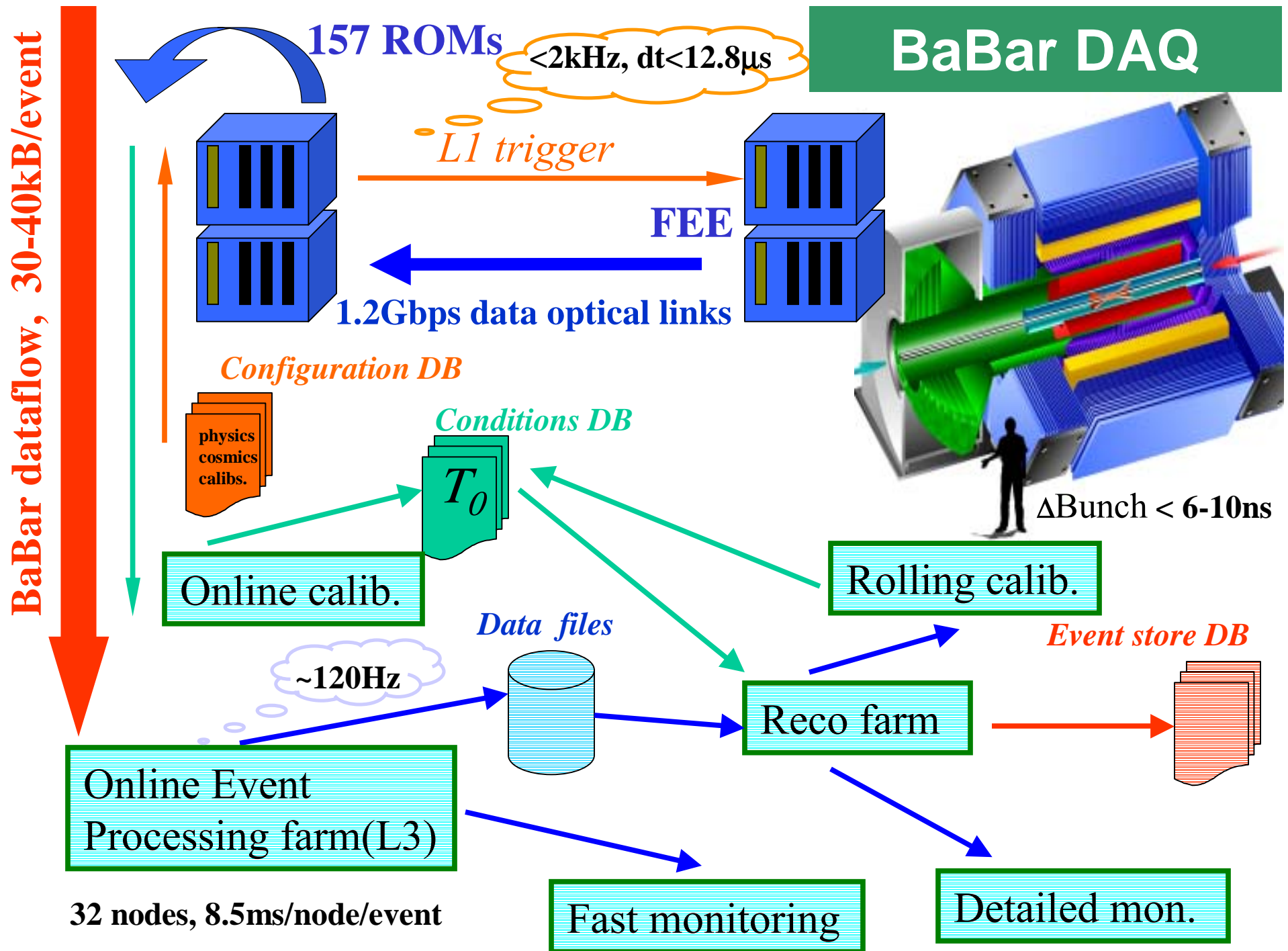
Drift Chamber

e^+ (3.1 GeV)

e^- (9.0 GeV)

Silicon Vertex Detector

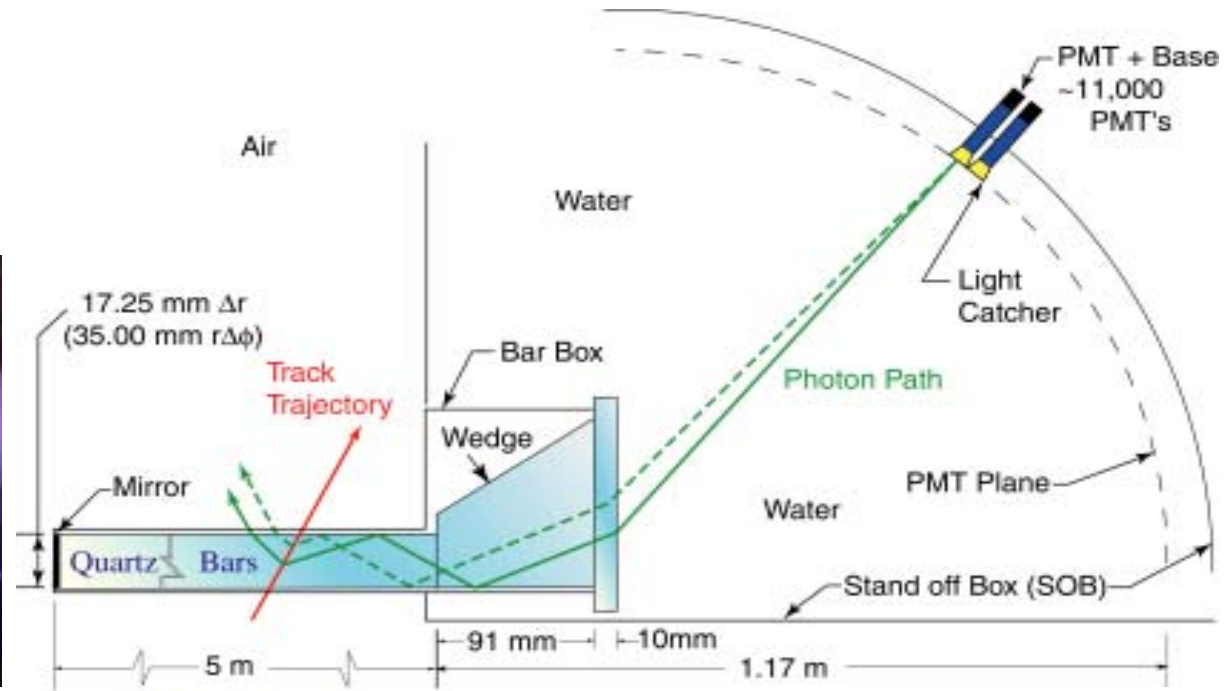
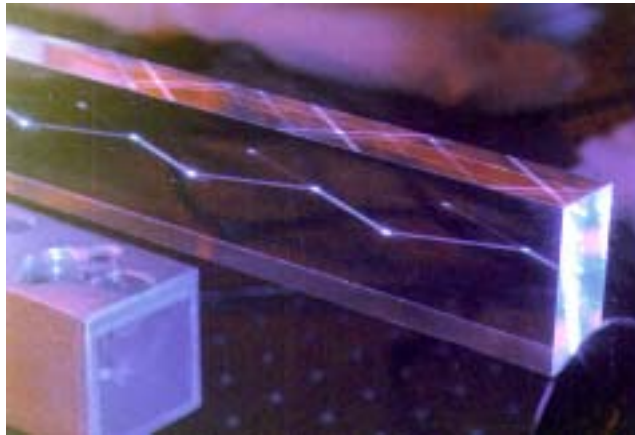




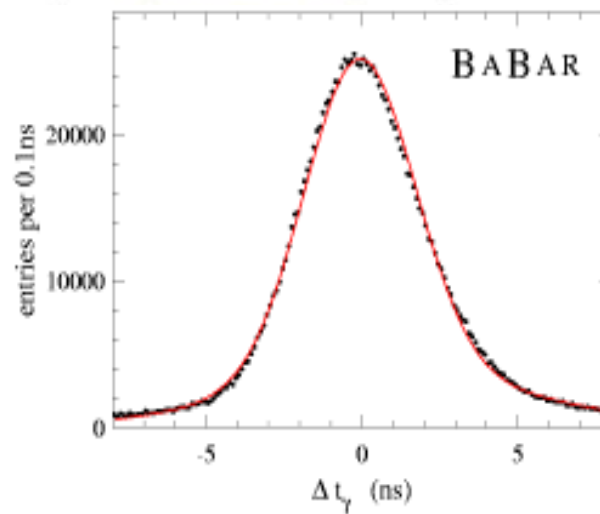
DIRC with open doors



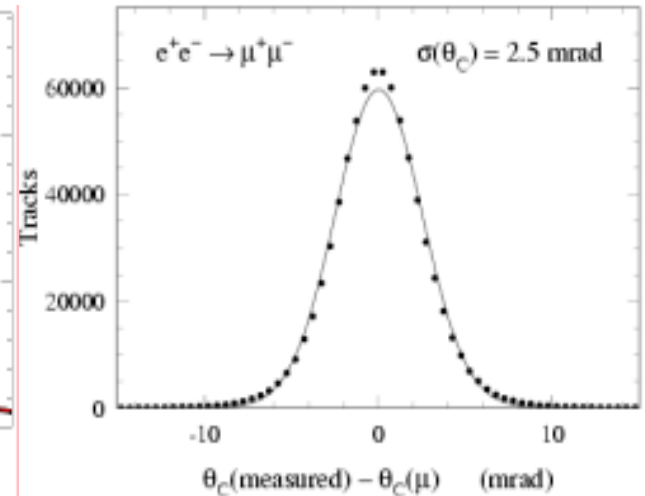
DIRC principle



$$\cos\Theta_c = 1/n\beta$$

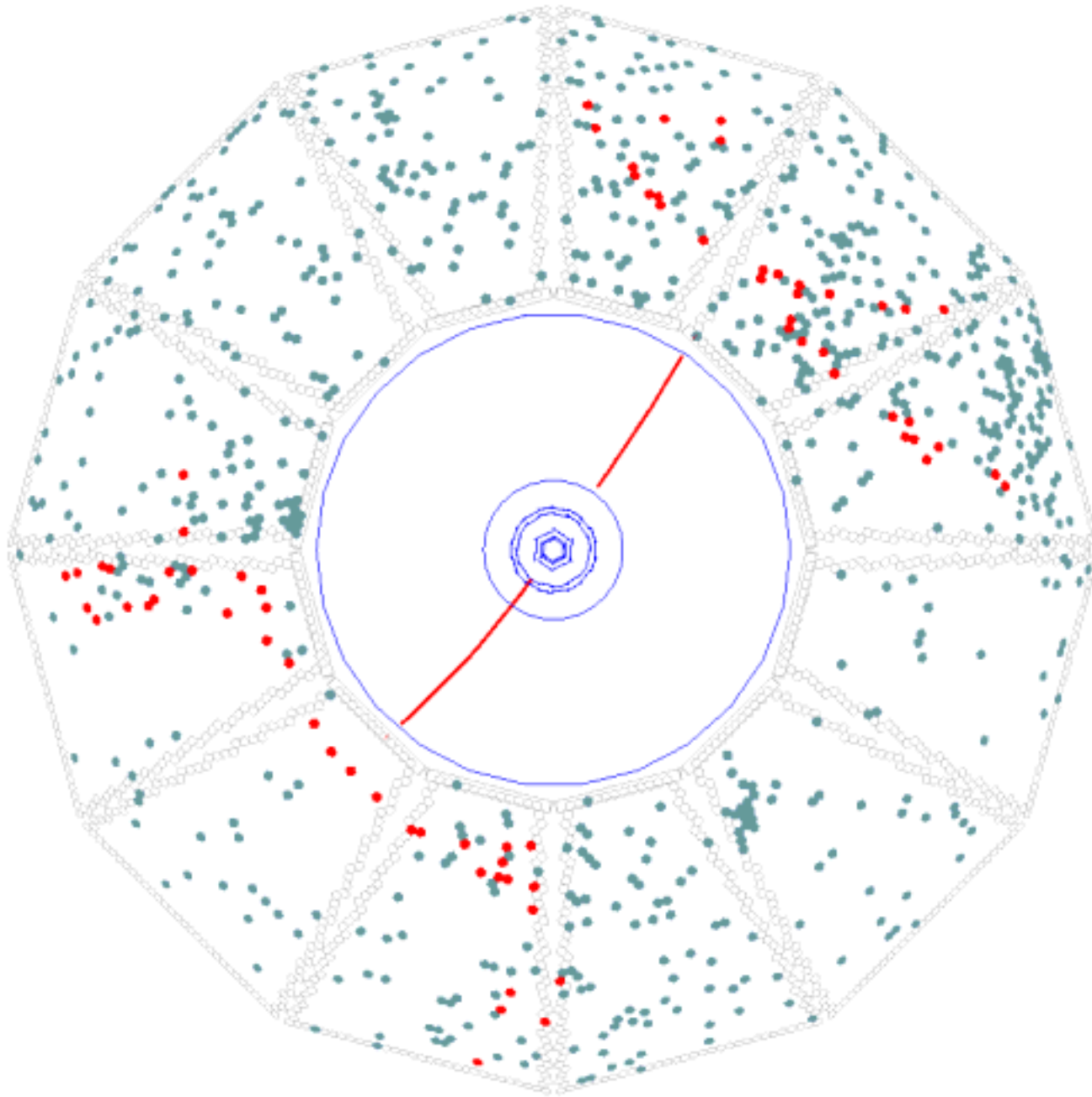


1.7 ns timing

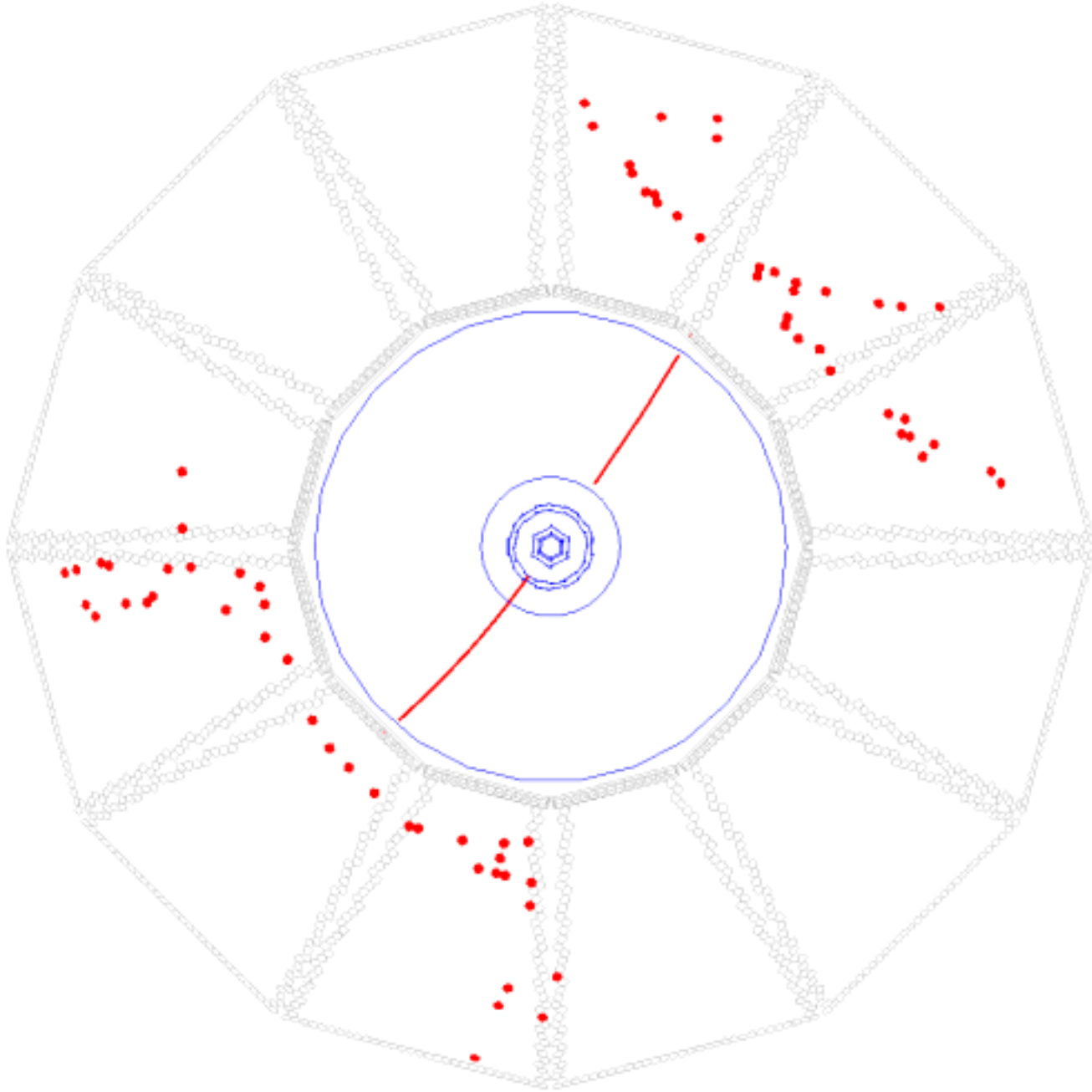


2.5 mrad Θ_c

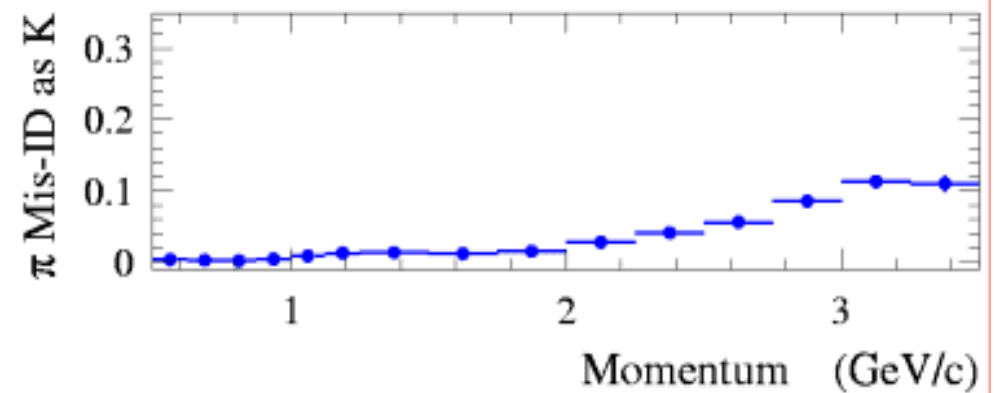
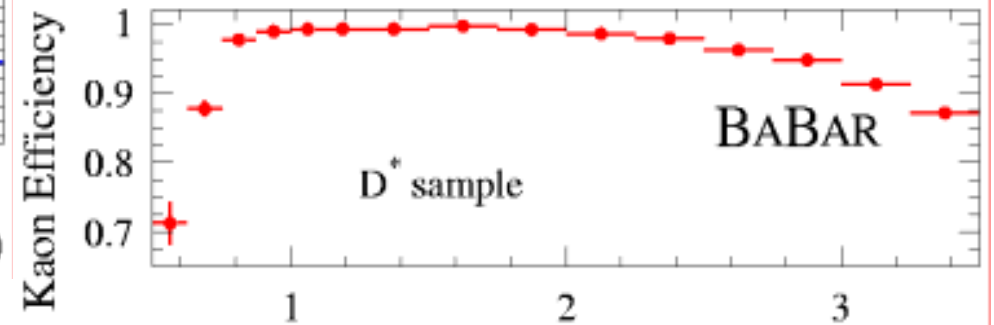
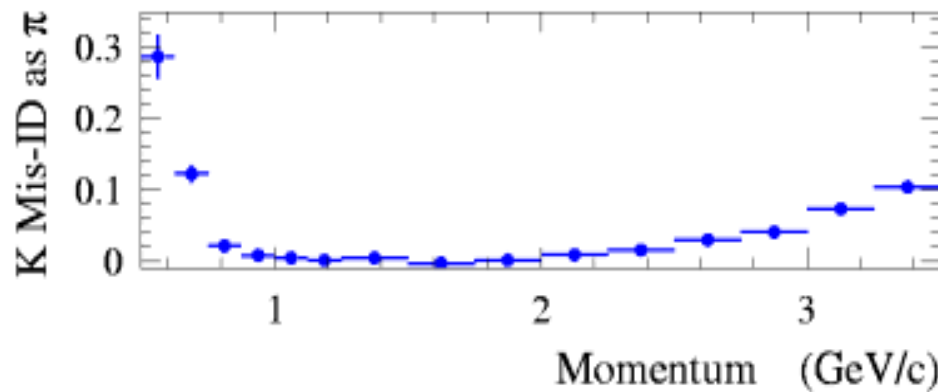
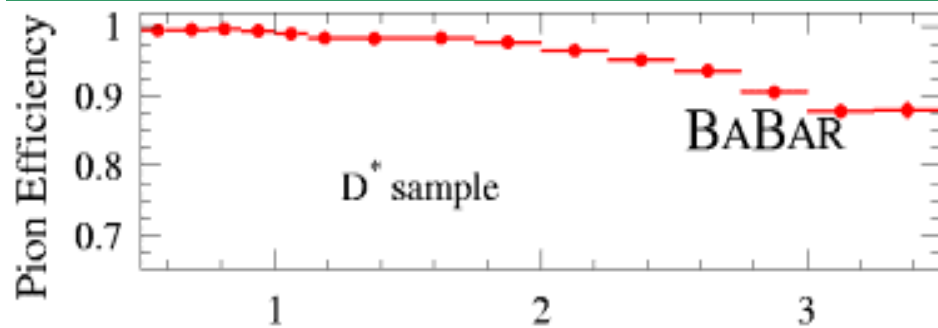
DIRC raw hits(0.6 μ s window)



DIRC raw hits(0.008 μ s window)



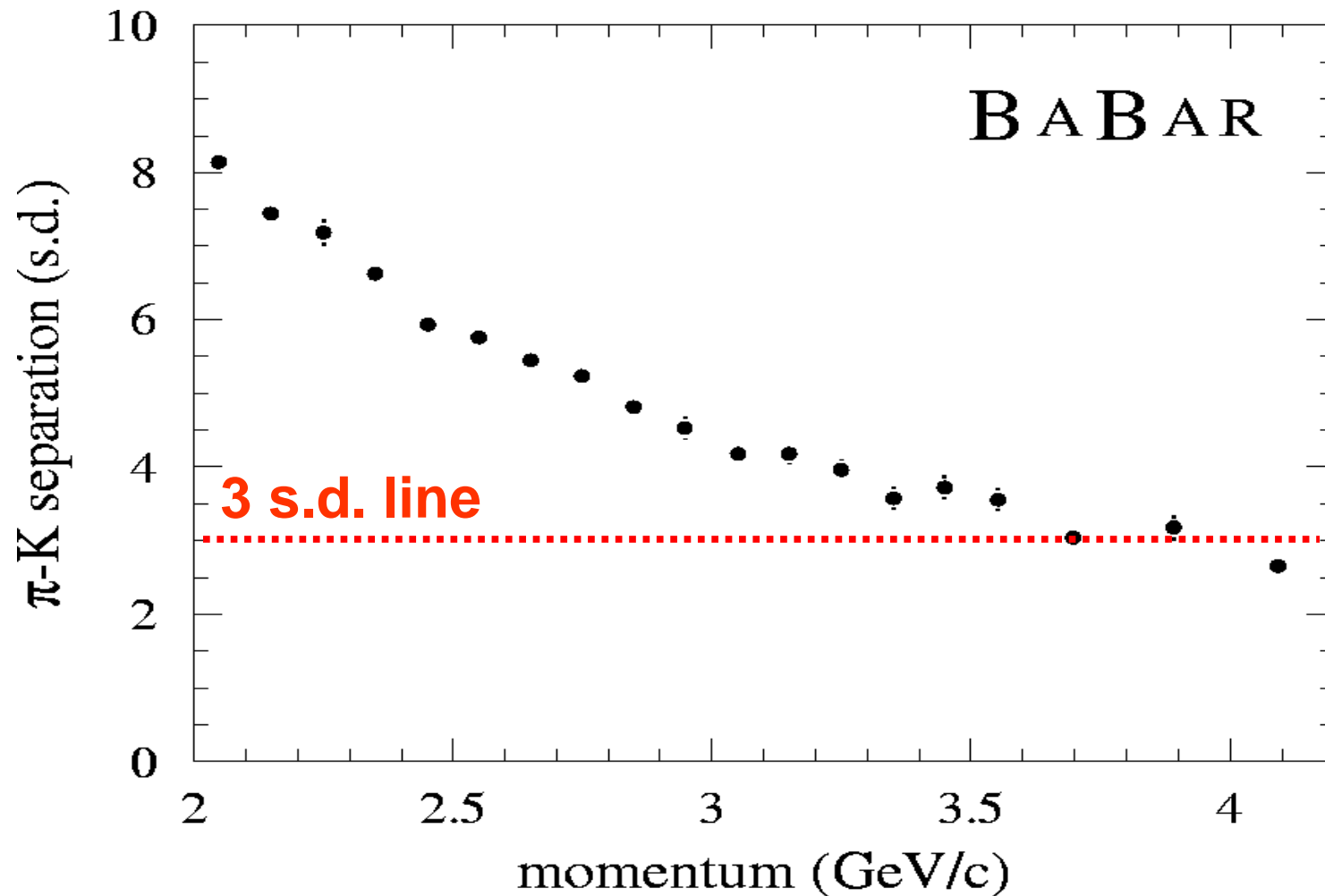
DIRC principle



← Pion eff and mis-id

Kaon eff and mis-id →

DIRC principle

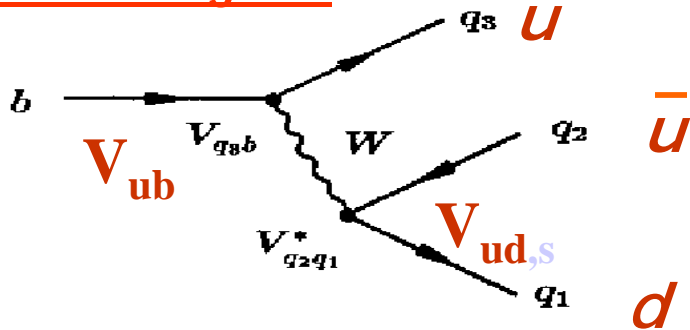


Pi-vs-Kaon separation in units of standard deviations

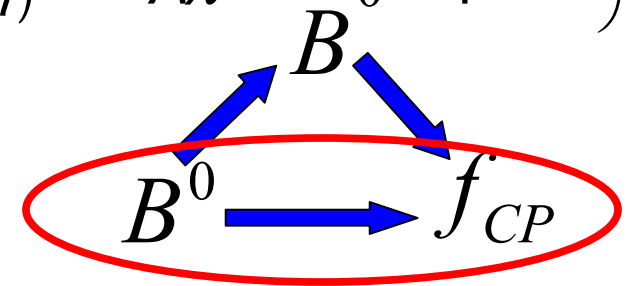
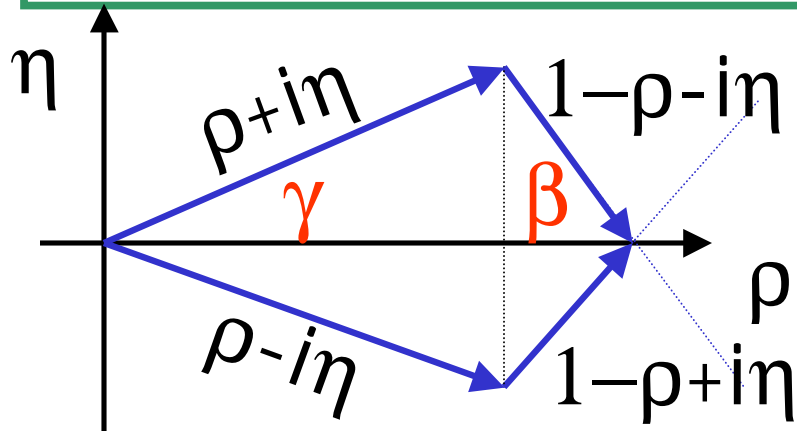
Charmless B-decays and CKM angle α

$$V_{\text{CKM}} = \begin{pmatrix} V_{ud} & V_{us} & V_{ub} \\ V_{cd} & V_{cs} & V_{cb} \\ V_{td} & V_{ts} & V_{tb} \end{pmatrix} \quad V_{\text{CKM}} \approx \begin{pmatrix} 1-\lambda^2/2 & \lambda & A\lambda^3(\rho-i\eta) \\ -\lambda & 1-\lambda^2/2 & A\lambda^2 \\ A\lambda^3(1-\rho-i\eta) & -A\lambda^2 & 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

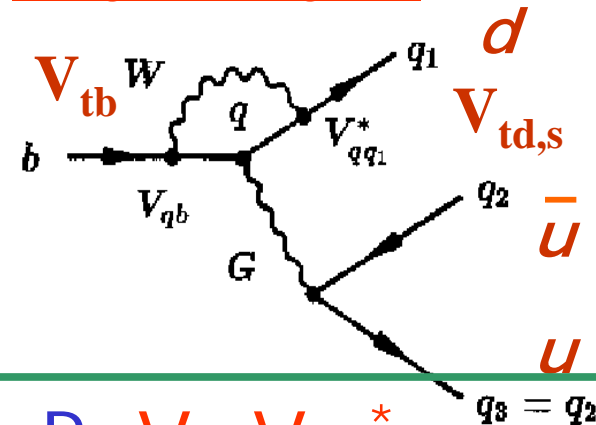
Tree diagram



$$T \sim V_{ub} V_{ud}^* \sim A\lambda^3(\rho-i\eta) \times 1 \sim e^{-i\gamma}$$



Penguin diagram

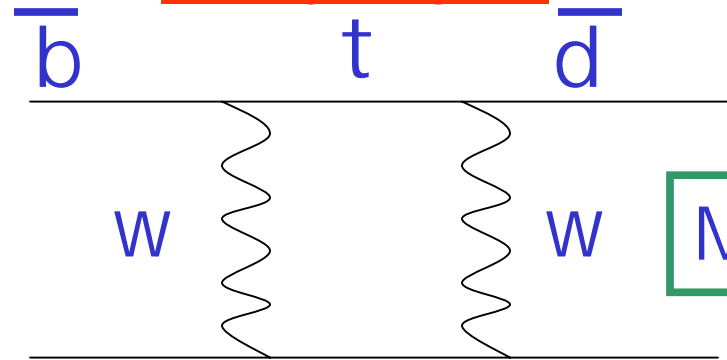


$$q=t, P \sim V_{tb} V_{td}^* \sim 1 \times A\lambda^3(1-\rho+i\eta) \sim e^{-i\beta}$$

Charmless B-decays and CKM angle α

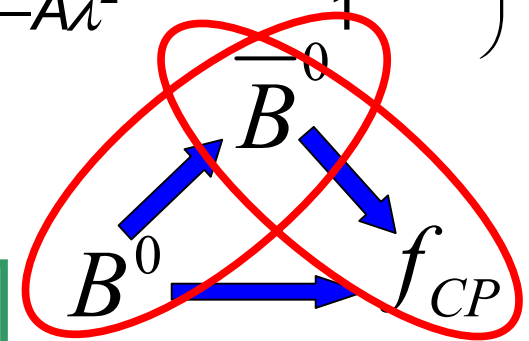
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Mixing diagram

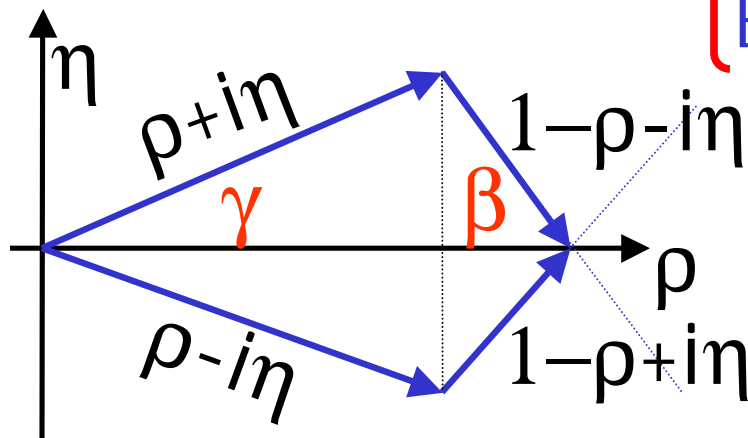


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$$M \sim V_{td}^2 V_{tb}^{*2} \sim e^{-i2\beta}$$



$$\begin{cases} B^0 = e^{+i\gamma} T + e^{-i\beta} P = e^{-i\beta} (e^{+i(\gamma+\beta)} T + P) \\ \bar{B}^0 = (e^{-i\gamma} T + e^{+i\beta} P) e^{-2i\beta} = e^{-i\beta} (e^{-i(\gamma+\beta)} T + P) \end{cases}$$



$$B^0 = e^{+i\alpha} T + P$$

$$\bar{B}^0 = e^{-i\alpha} T + P$$

extra phase from mixing

Charmless B-decays and CKM angle α

- every charmless(strangless) B decay is sensitive to α
- the usual suspects are:

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^- \\ B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \pi^- \\ B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^- \end{array} \right.$$

- the quality of the channel is characterized by:

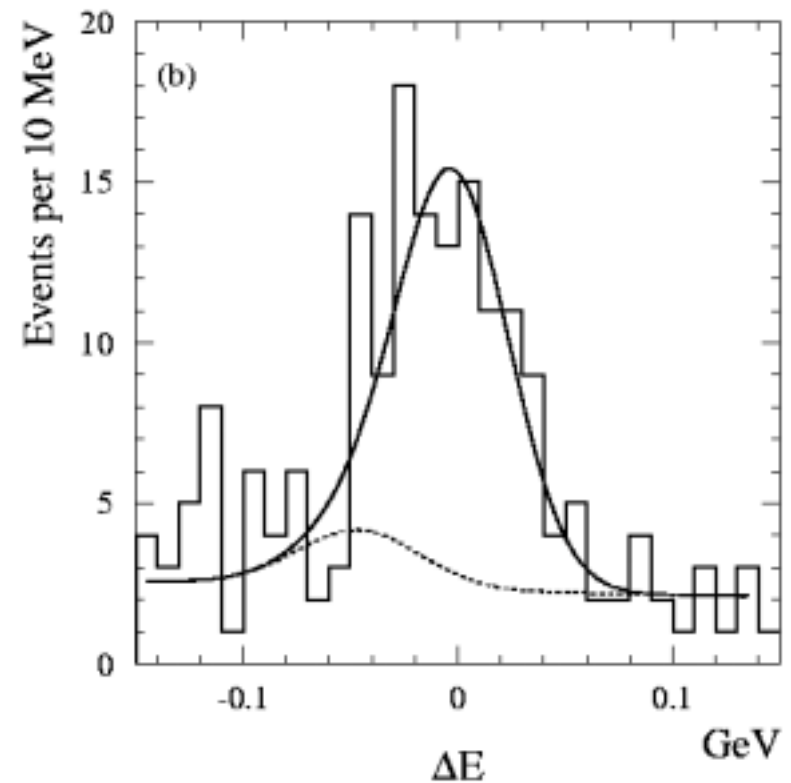
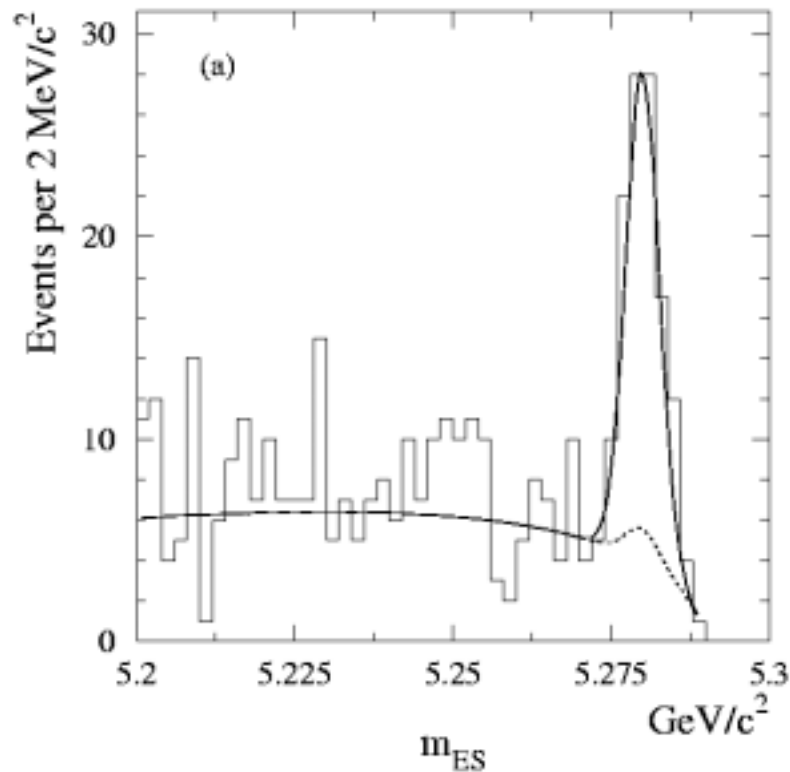
- overall branching ratio
- unknowns-vs-observables, number of ambiguities
- experimental accessibility(number of π^0 s in the f.s.)

Selection of B-decays

- kinematically select B candidates with m_{ES} , ΔE

$$m_{\text{ES}} = \sqrt{E_{\text{beam}}^{*2} - p_B^{*2}}$$

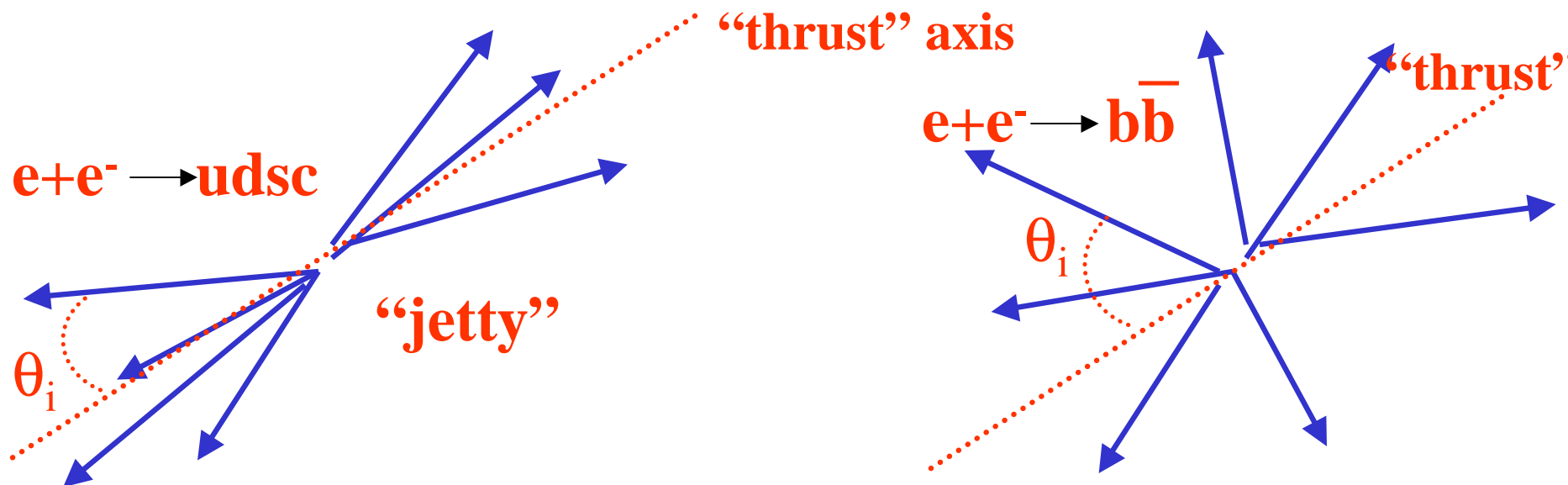
$$\Delta E = E_B^* - E_{\text{beam}}^*$$



- provides enough separation for channels with $\text{Br} \sim 10^{-3}$

Shape information for rare B-decays

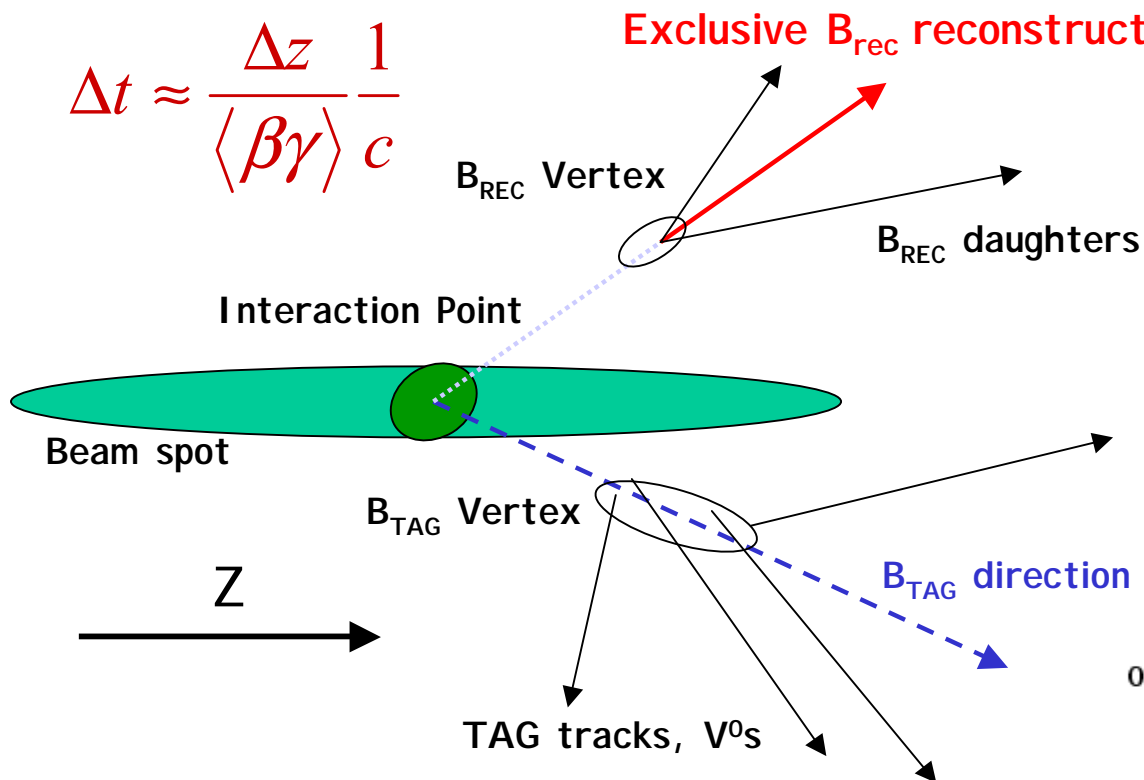
- for “rare *B*-decays” ($\text{Br} \sim 10^{-4}$ - 10^{-6}), one need to use some extra handles – shape of the event:



$$F = 0.53 - 0.60 \times \sum_i p_i^* + 1.27 \times \sum_i p_i^* |\cos(\theta_i^*)|^2$$

Vertexing

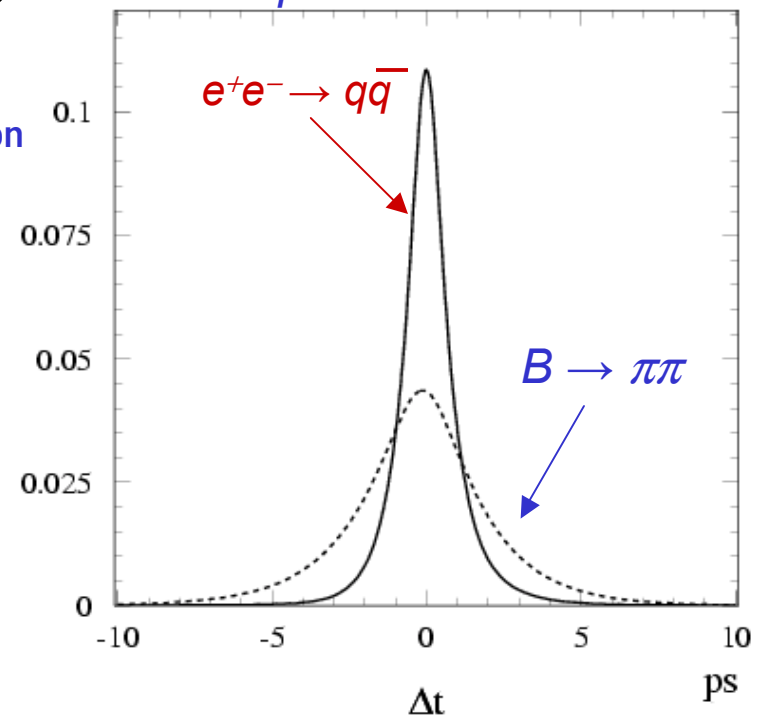
$$\Delta t \approx \frac{\Delta z}{\langle \beta \gamma \rangle c}$$



Δz resolution dominated by tag side \rightarrow same resolution function as charmonium ($\sin 2\beta$) sample

Average Δz resolution $\sim 180\mu\text{m}$

Example in $B \rightarrow \pi\pi$



- Resolution function parameters obtained from data for both signal and background

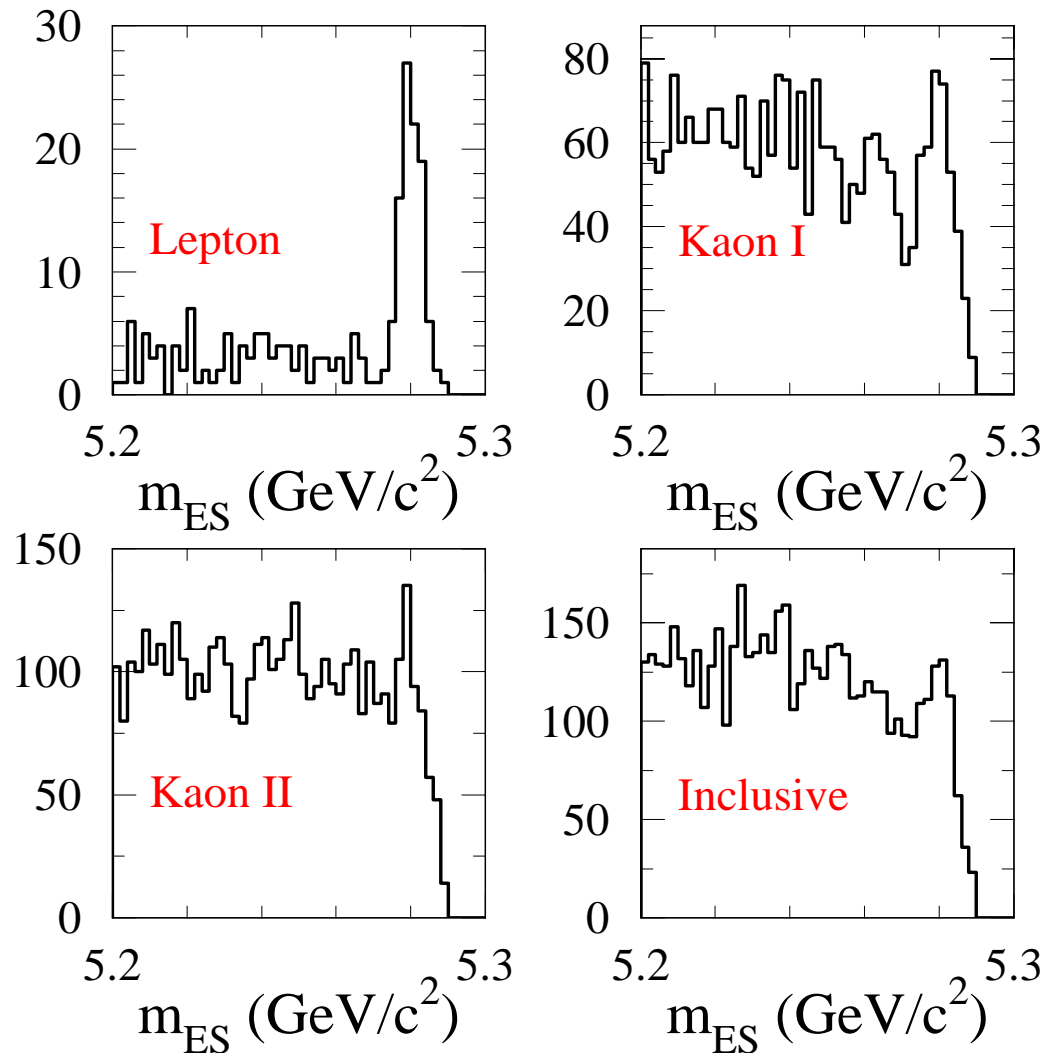
B-flavour tagging

- Tagging efficiency is very different for signal and bkg

Tagging Efficiencies (%)

Category	Signal	Background		
		$\pi\pi$	$K\pi$	KK
Lepton	9.1	0.5	0.4	0.6
Kaon I	16.6	8.9	12.7	7.8
Kaon II	19.8	15.5	19.4	14.4
Inclusive	20.1	21.5	19.2	21.7
Untagged	34.4	53.6	48.3	55.6

81/fb $B \rightarrow h^+h^-$ sample split by tagging category



CP Violation in $B^0 \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-$ Decays

$$A_{f_{CP}}(t) \propto S_{f_{CP}} \sin(\Delta m_d t) - C_{f_{CP}} \cos(\Delta m_d t)$$

$$\lambda_{f_{CP}} = \eta_{f_{CP}} \frac{q}{p} \frac{\bar{A}_{\bar{f}_{CP}}}{A_{f_{CP}}} \quad \leftarrow \text{ratio of amplitudes}$$

CP eigenvalue $\eta_{f_{CP}}$ is indicated by a green box. The π^+ is indicated by a blue box with $\approx e^{-2i\beta}$.

$$C_{f_{CP}} = \frac{1 - |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}{1 + |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}$$

$$S_{f_{CP}} = \frac{2\text{Im} \lambda_{f_{CP}}}{1 + |\lambda_{f_{CP}}|^2}$$

For additional phases:

For a single weak phase (tree):

$$\lambda = \frac{q}{p} \frac{\bar{A}_{\bar{f}}}{A_f} = \eta_f e^{-2i(\beta+\gamma)} = \eta_f e^{2i\alpha}$$

$$C_{\pi\pi} = 0, S_{\pi\pi} = \sin(2\alpha)$$

Need branching fractions for $\pi^+\pi^-$, $\pi^\pm\pi^0$, and $\pi^0\pi^0$ to get α from $\alpha_{\text{eff}} \rightarrow$ isospin analysis

$$\lambda_{\pi\pi} = e^{2i\alpha} \frac{1 + |P/T| e^{i\delta} e^{i\gamma}}{1 + |P/T| e^{i\delta} e^{-i\gamma}}$$

$$C_{\pi\pi} \propto \sin(\delta)$$

$$S_{\pi\pi} = \sqrt{1 - C_{\pi\pi}^2} \sin(2\alpha_{\text{eff}})$$

$$C_{\pi\pi} \neq 0, S_{\pi\pi} \sim \sin(2\alpha_{\text{eff}})$$

CP Asymmetry Results

Preliminary

$$S_{\pi\pi} = 0.02 \pm 0.34 \pm 0.05$$

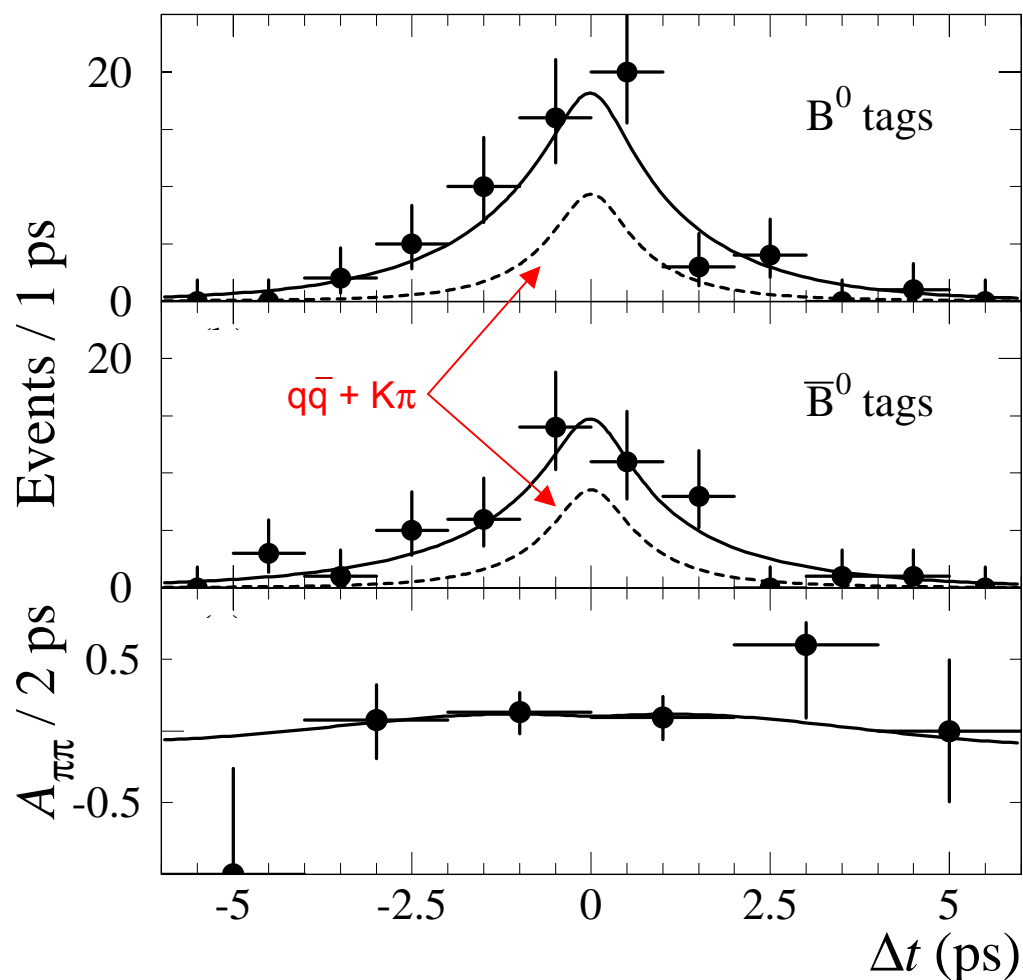
$$C_{\pi\pi} = -0.30 \pm 0.25 \pm 0.04$$

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$$A_{\pi\pi}(\Delta t) \equiv \frac{N(B_{tag}^0) - N(\bar{B}_{tag}^0)}{N(B_{tag}^0) + N(\bar{B}_{tag}^0)}$$

$$= S_{\pi\pi} \sin(\Delta m_d \Delta t) - C_{\pi\pi} \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t)$$

Fit projection in sample of $\pi\pi$ -selected events

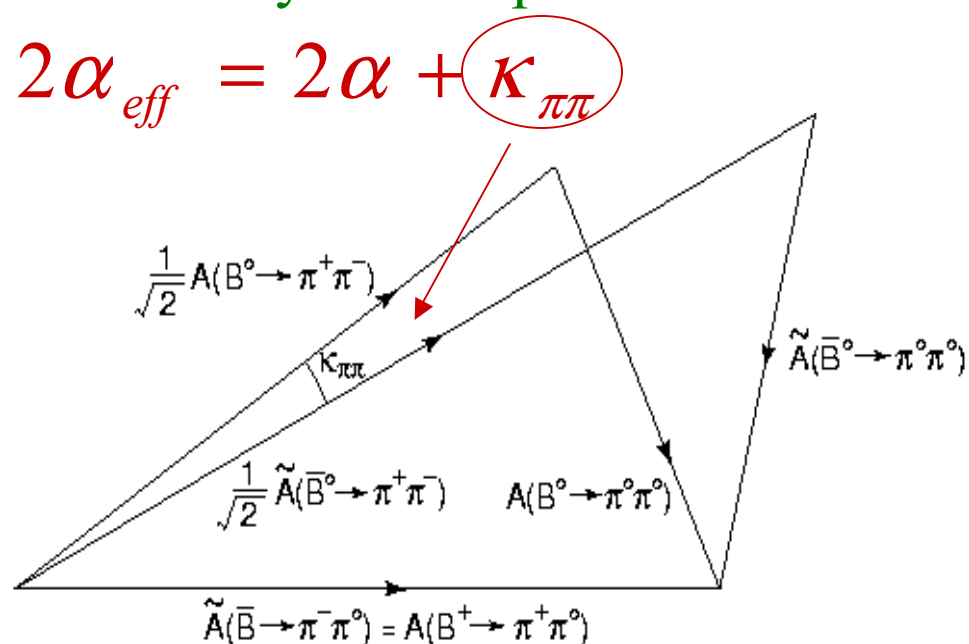


Taming the Penguins. Isospin Analysis.

Gronau and London, Phys. Rev. Lett. 65, 3381 (1991)

- The decays $B \rightarrow \pi^+\pi^-$, $\pi^+\pi^0$, $\pi^0\pi^0$ are related by isospin
- Central observation is that $\pi\pi$ states can have $I = 2$ or 0
 - (gluonic) penguins only contribute to $I = 0$ ($\Delta I = 1/2$)
 - $\pi^+\pi^0$ is pure $I = 2$ ($\Delta I = 1/2$) so has only tree amplitude
 $\rightarrow (|A^{+0}| = |A^{-0}|)$
- Triangle relations allow determination of penguin-induced shift in α

But, need branching fractions for all three decay modes, and for B^0 and \bar{B}^0 separately



$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0$

- Analysis issues:
 - Small signal!
 - $\rho\pi^0$ feeddown
- Background suppression:
 - Event shape and flavor tagging to reduce qq
 - Cut on $M(\pi^+\pi^0)$ and ΔE to reduce $\rho\pi^0$ background, then fix in the fit

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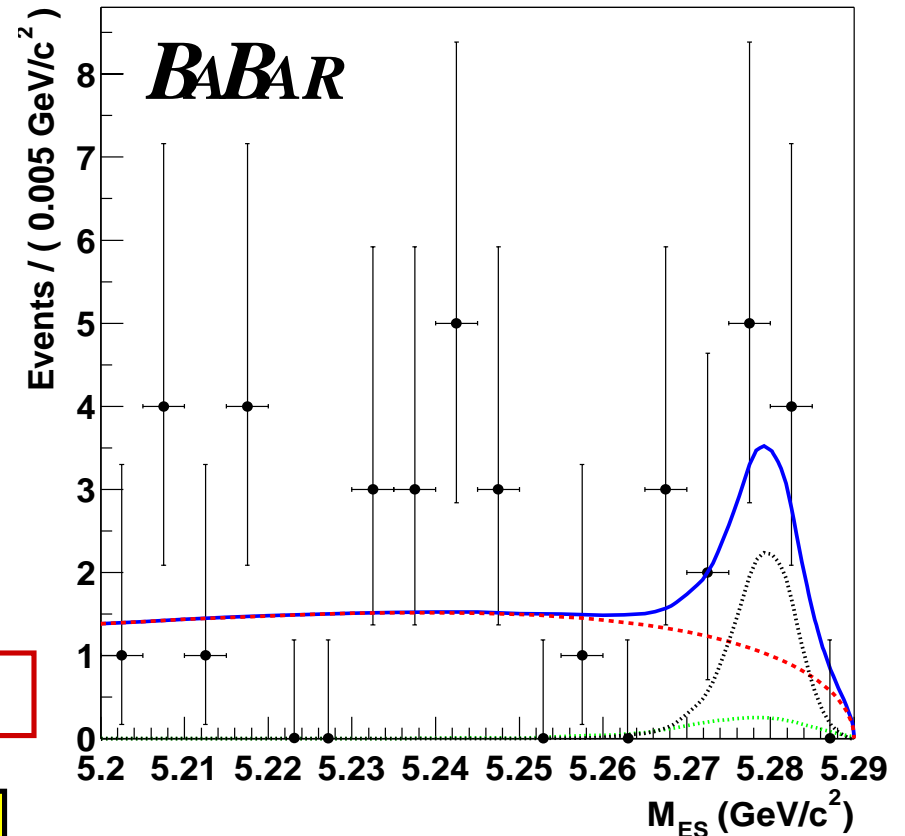
Preliminary

$$N_{\pi^0\pi^0} = 23_{-9}^{+10}$$

$$B(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 \pi^0) < 3.6 \times 10^{-6} @ 90\% \text{ C.L.}$$

Significance including systematic errors = 2.5σ

Data after cut on probability ratio ($\epsilon \sim 20\%$)



Setting a Bound on Penguin Pollution

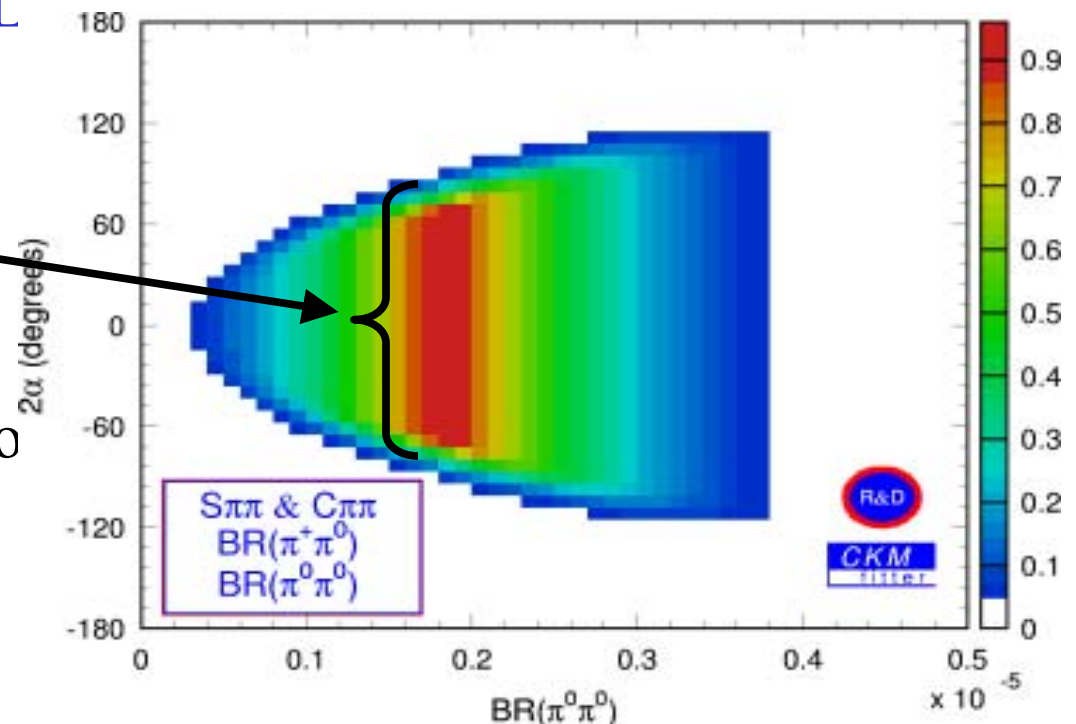
- Can still get information on α with only an upper bound on $\pi^0\pi^0$:
 - For example: Grossman-Quinn bound (assume only isospin)

$$\sin^2(\alpha_{\text{eff}} - \alpha) < \frac{\frac{1}{2} \left[BR(B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0) + BR(\bar{B}^0 \rightarrow \pi^0\pi^0) \right]}{BR(B^\pm \rightarrow \pi^\pm\pi^0)}$$

$$< 0.61 \text{ @ } 90\% \text{ C.L.}$$

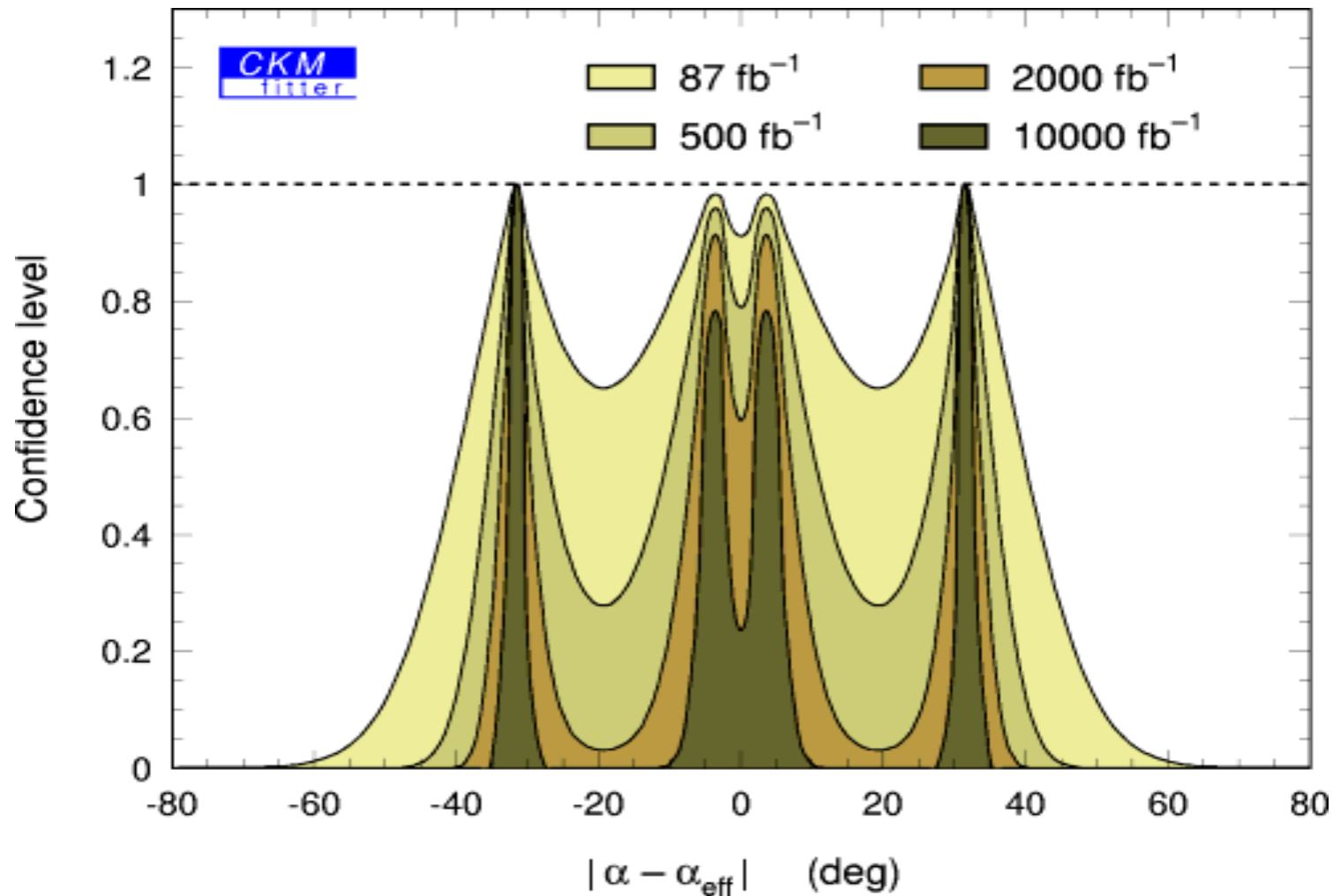
$$|\alpha_{\text{eff}} - \alpha| < 51^\circ \text{ @ } 90\% \text{ C.L.}$$

- Many other bounds on the market (Charles, Gronau/Londo/Sinha/Sinha, etc...)



How about More Statistics?

Isospin analysis for present central values, but more statistics



If central value of $\text{BR}(\pi^0\pi^0)$ stays large, isospin analysis cannot be performed by first generation B factories

BaBar-vs-Belle

BABAR

$$S_{\pi\pi} + 0.02 \pm 0.34$$

$$C_{\pi\pi} - 0.30 \pm 0.25$$

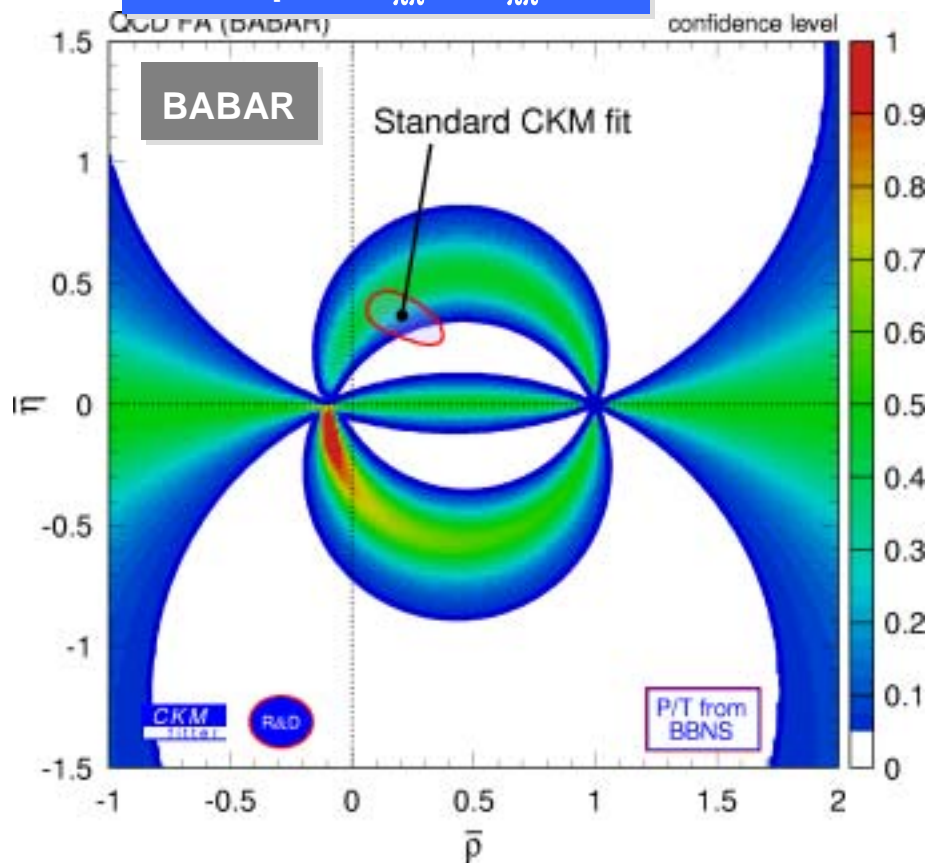
$P/T|$ and $\arg(P/T)$
predicted by QCD
FA (BBNS'01)

Belle

$$S_{\pi\pi} -1.21+0.45(-0.30)$$

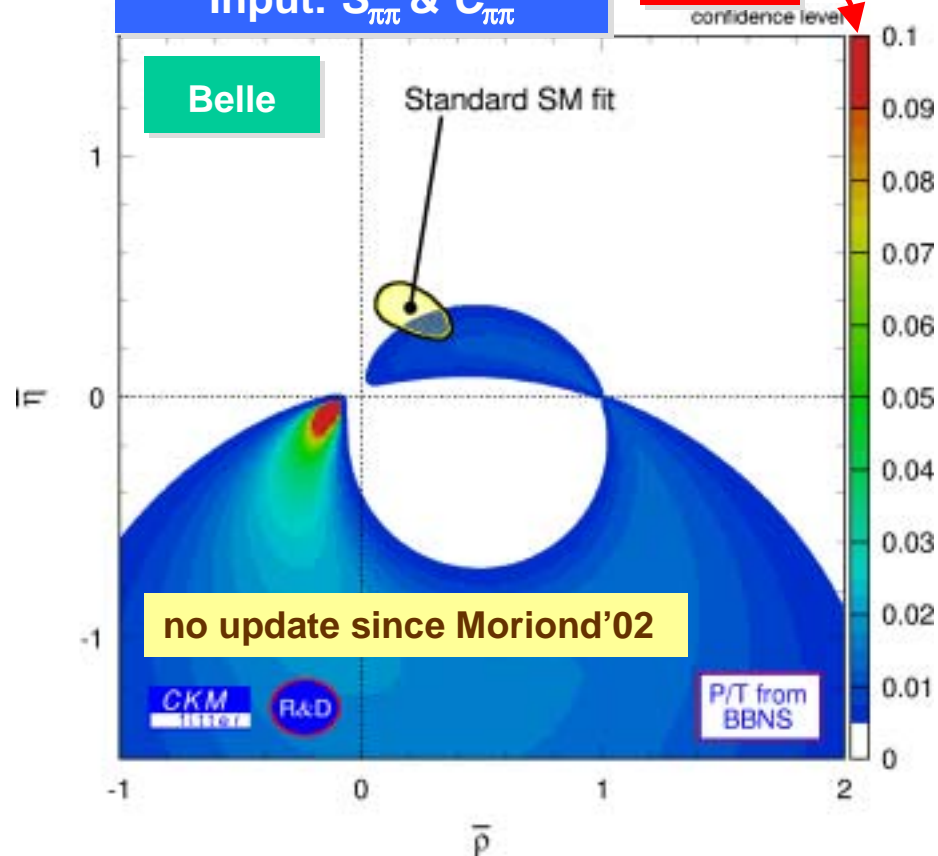
$$C_{\pi\pi} -0.94 + 0.32(-0.27)$$

Input: $S_{\pi\pi}$ & $C_{\pi\pi}$



Input: $S_{\pi\pi}$ & $C_{\pi\pi}$

Zoom



CP-Violating Asymmetries in

$$B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \pi^-, \rho^+ K^-$$

- **Opportunity and challenges**

- In principle, can measure a directly, even with penguins

- **Much more difficult than $\pi^+ \pi^-$**

- Three-body topology with neutral pion (combinatorics, lower efficiency)
 - Significant fraction of misreconstructed signal events and backgrounds from other B decays
 - Need much larger sample than currently available to extract a cleanly

- **We perform a “quasi-two-body” analysis:**

- Select the ρ -dominated region of the $\pi^+ \pi^- \pi^0 / K^+ \pi^- \pi^0$ Dalitz plane
 - Use multivariate techniques to suppress qq backgrounds
 - Simultaneous fit for $\rho^+ \pi^-$ and $\rho^+ K^-$

Observables

Not a CP eigenstate, (at least) four amplitudes contribute:

Time-integrated asymmetry:

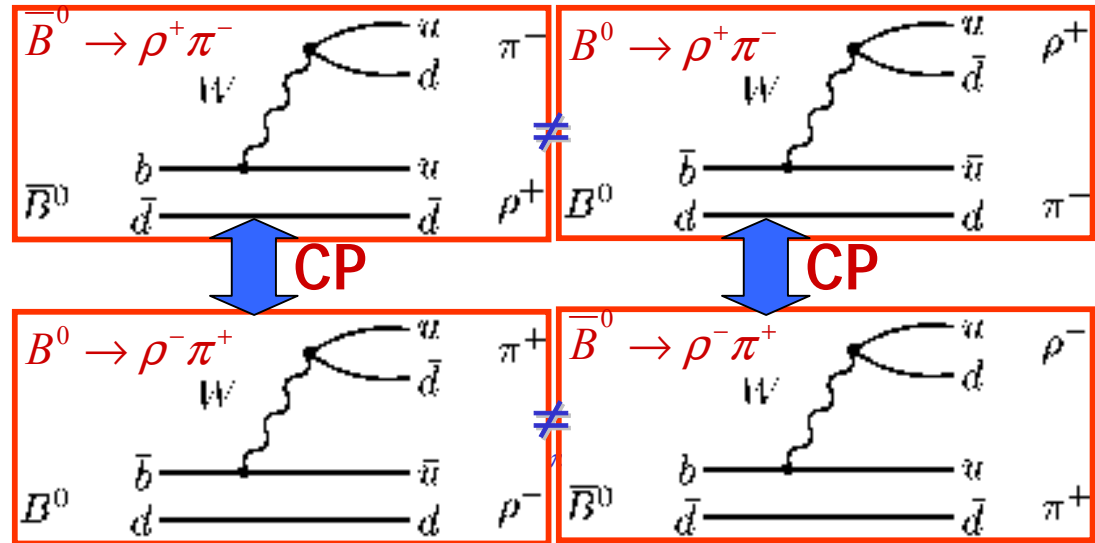
$$A_{CP}^{\rho h} = \frac{N(\rho^+ h^-) - N(\rho^- h^+)}{N(\rho^+ h^-) + N(\rho^- h^+)}$$

Time evolution includes:

$$(S_{\rho h} + Q\Delta S_{\rho h}) \sin(\Delta m_d \Delta t)$$

$$(C_{\rho h} + Q\Delta C_{\rho h}) \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t)$$

Q is the ρ charge



direct CP violation $\rightarrow A_{CP}$ and $C \neq 0$

indirect CP violation $\rightarrow S \neq 0$

ρK is self-tagging:

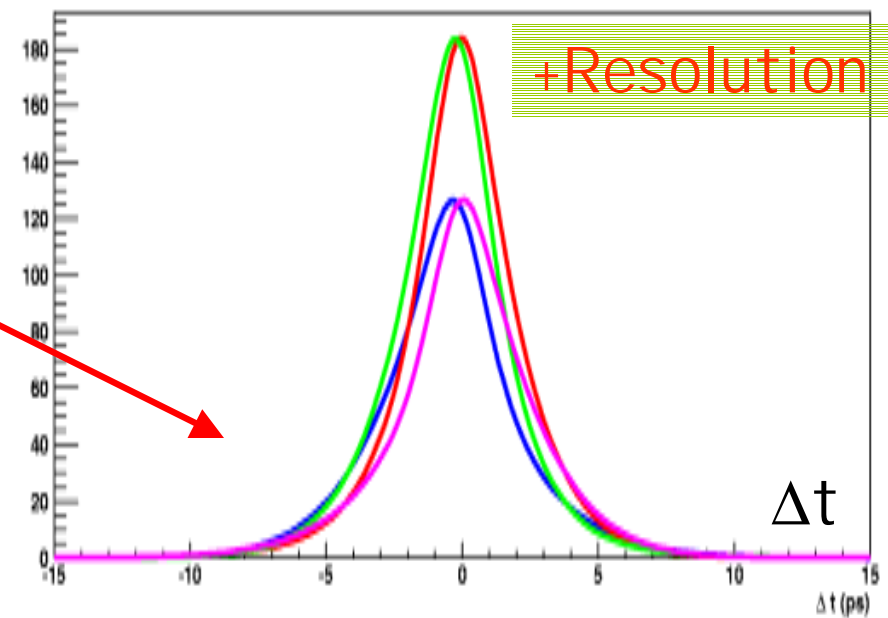
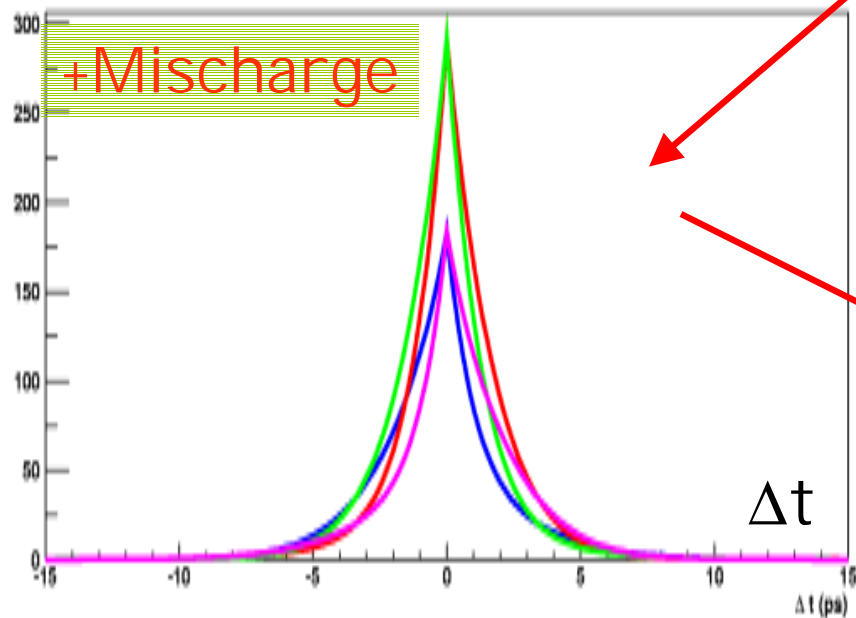
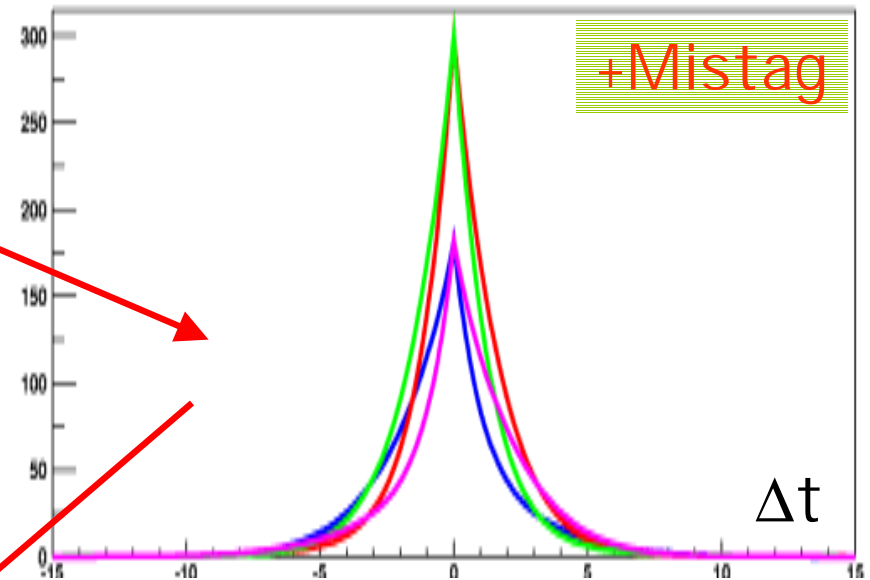
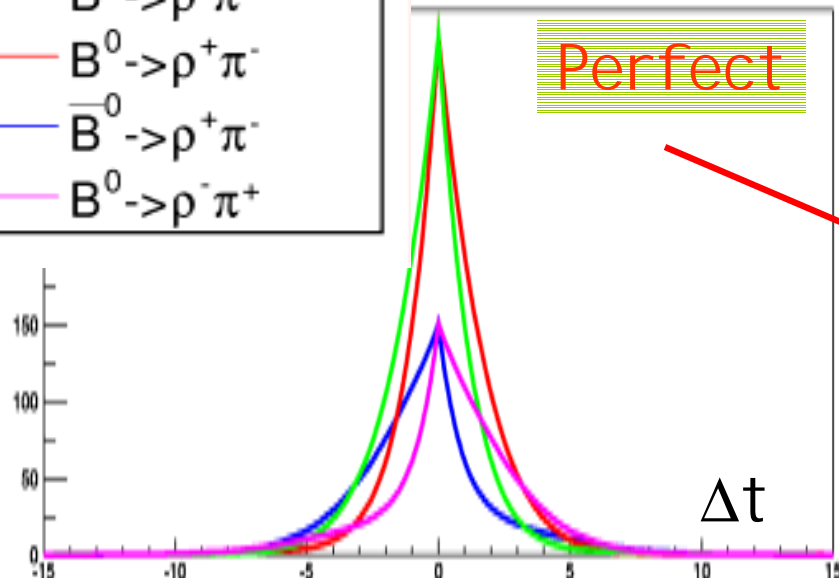
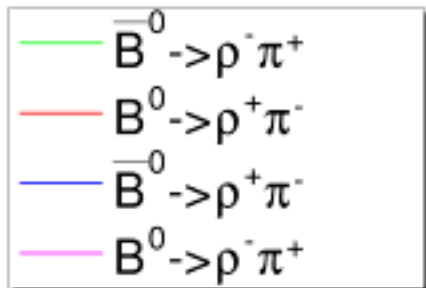
$$C_{\rho K} = 0, \Delta C_{\rho K} = -1, S_{\rho K} = 0, \Delta S_{\rho K} = 0$$

Fit for:

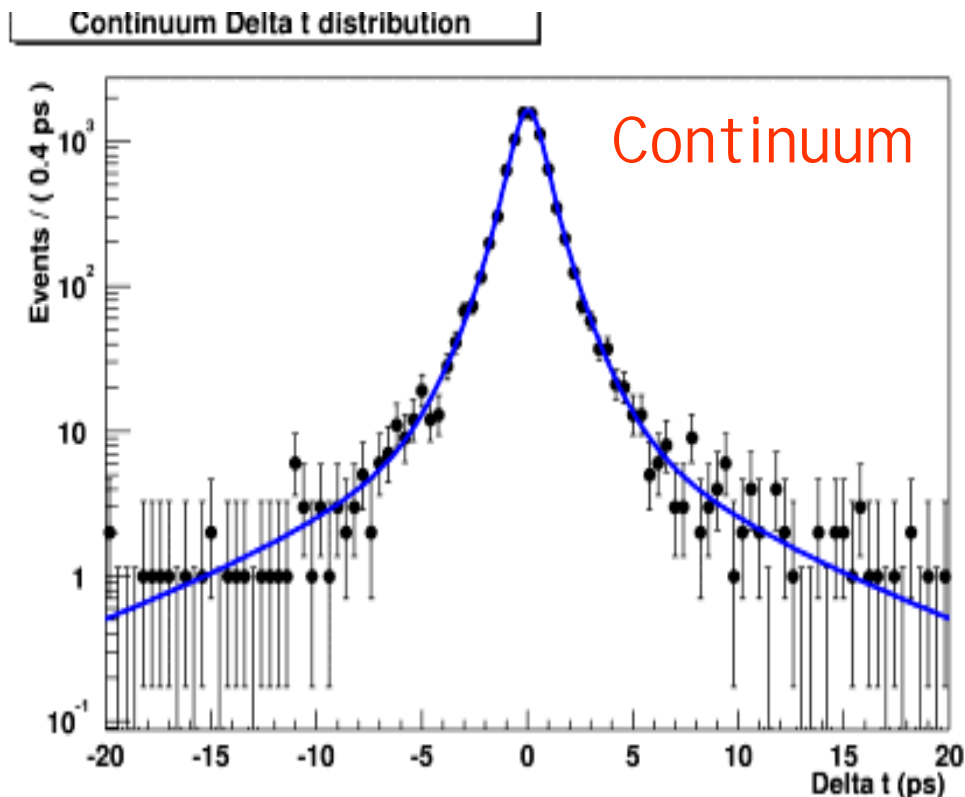
ΔC and ΔS are insensitive to CP violation

$$A_{CP}^{\rho\pi}, A_{CP}^{\rho K}, C_{\rho\pi}, \Delta C_{\rho\pi}, S_{\rho\pi}, \Delta S_{\rho\pi}$$

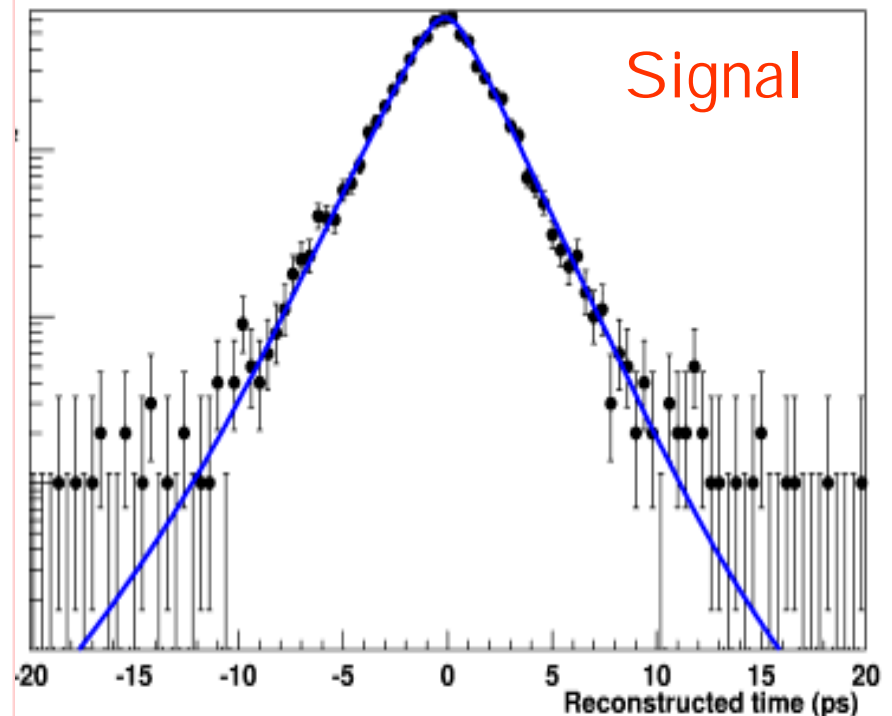
Degradation of time resolution



PDFs for time distributions



- 3 Gaussian with common mean
- widths are scaled with Δt per-event error (fit is biased otherwise)
- tagging and charge of the final state are correlated - evaluated from off-peak



- convoluted by BaBar official resolution function extracted from independent, high-statistics sample of B events (the same for all CP analyses at BaBar)
- scaled with Δt per-event error

Charge determination

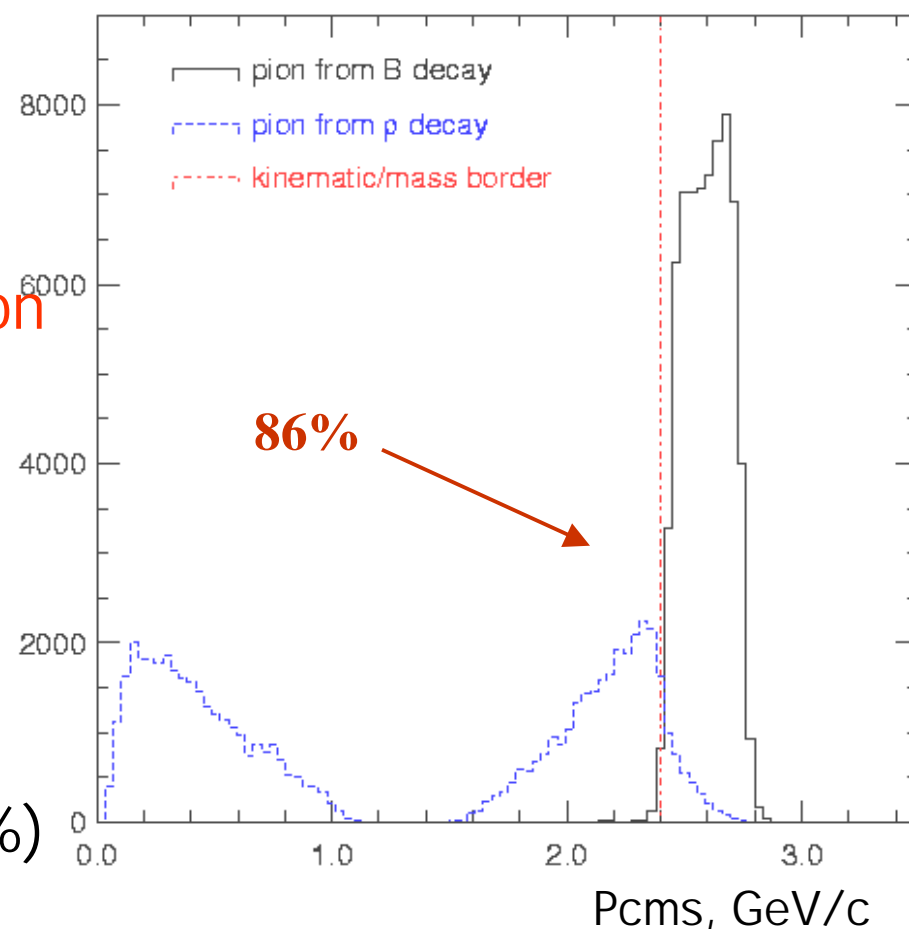
- candidate selection:
 - based on best π^0 mass
- self-cross feed(wrong π^0 fraction) is $\sim 30\%(26\%)$

- ρ charge reconstruction:
depends on P^* of slowest pion

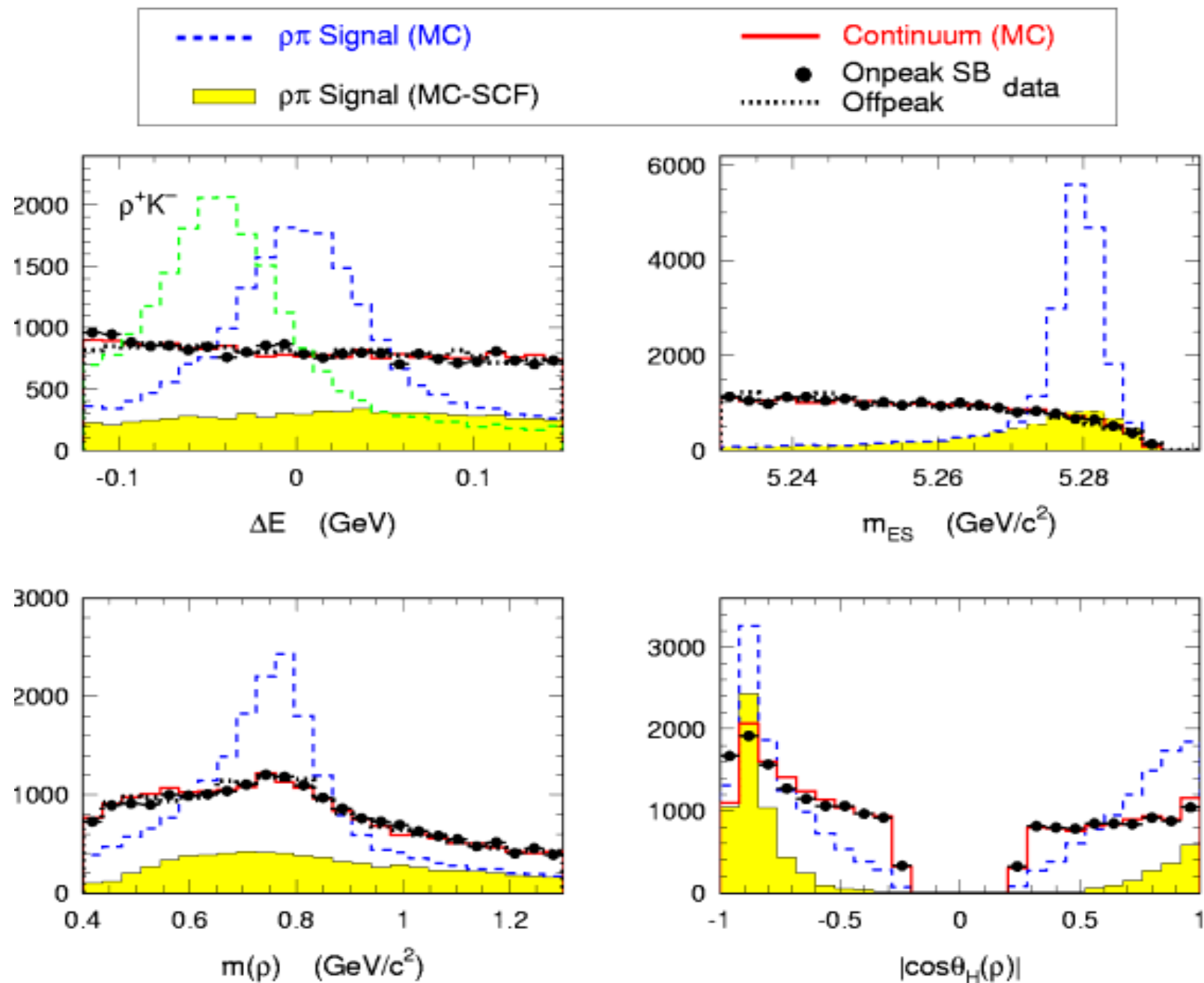
- ρ charge is the charge of the slowest pion if $P^* < 2.4\text{GeV}/c^2$
(independent of π^0 reconstruction!)

- best ρ mass if $P^* > 2.4\text{GeV}/c^2$

- ρ mis-charge fractions $\sim 5\%(1\%)$



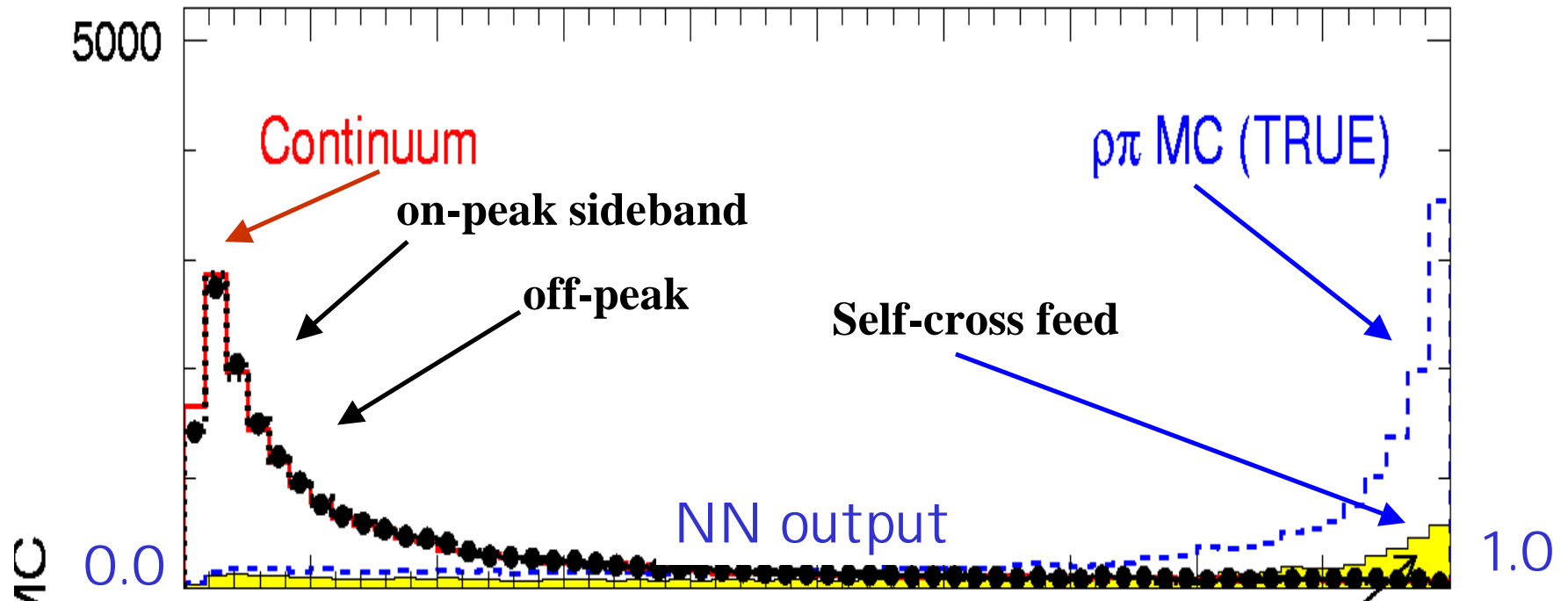
Signal-vs-continuum PDFs



Choice of the continuum discriminator

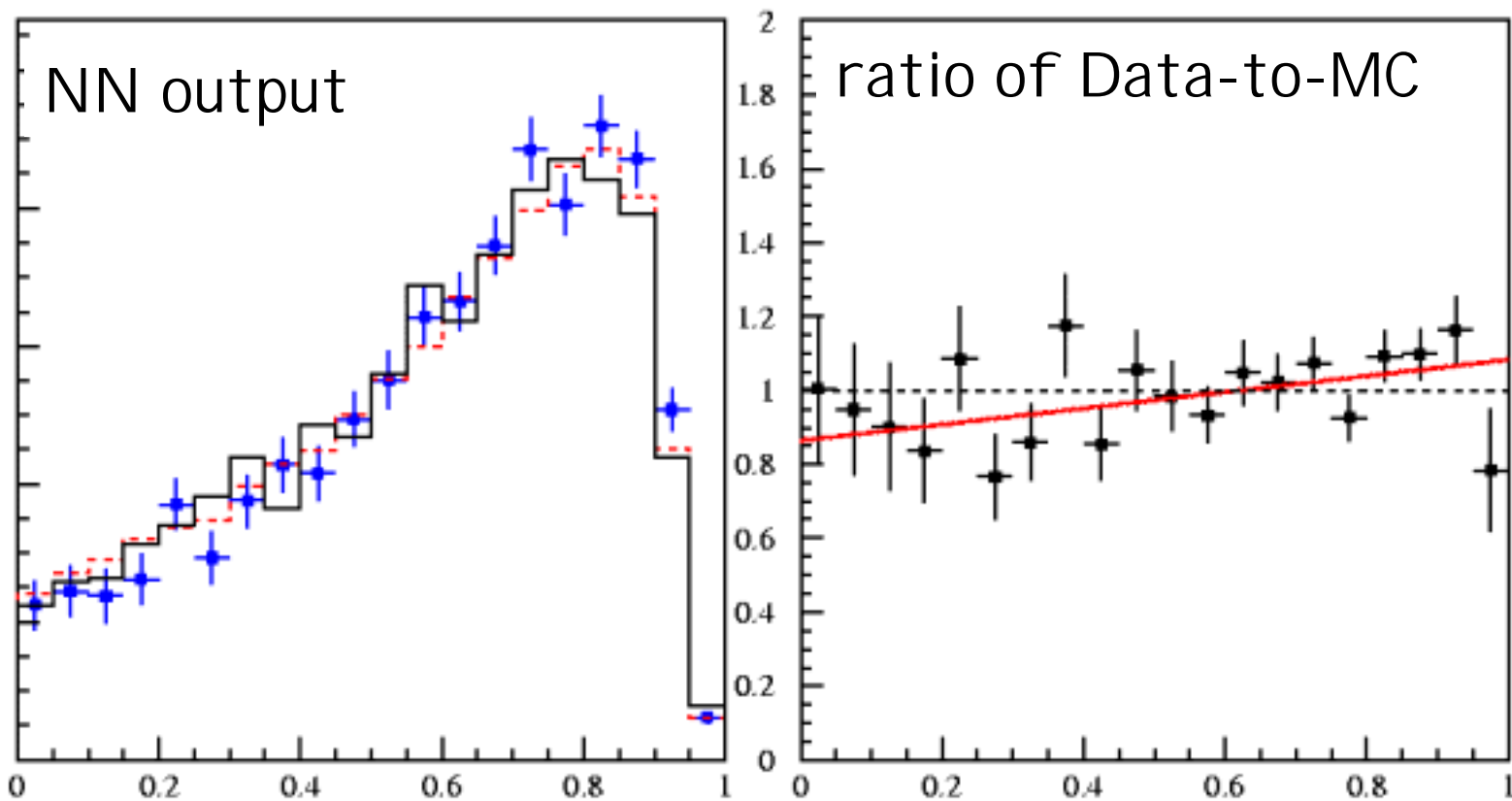
- we considered a large number of event shape variables to be used for discrimination against continuum background, and decided to use the simplest one:

NN with 4 variables(Base): $m(\rho)$, $\cos\theta_H(\rho)$, L0, L2



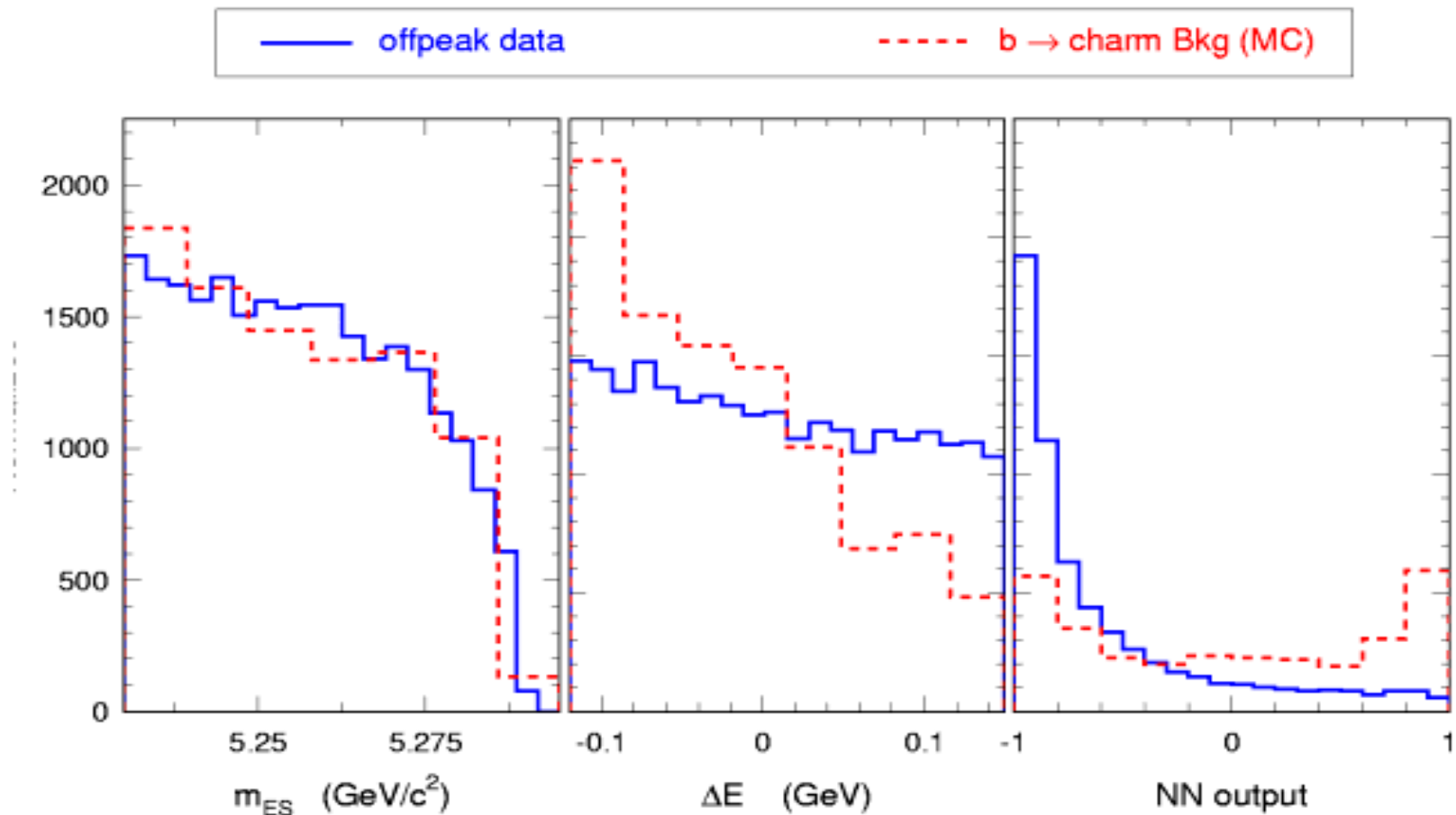
Validation of MVA

- we used fully reconstructed $B^0 \rightarrow D^\pm \rho^\mp$ events and compared NN output for Data and MC($D^\pm \rho^\mp, \rho^\pm \pi^\mp$)



B → charm background

Using 34.0×10^6 $B^0 B^0$ and 26.0×10^6 $B^+ B^-$ of generic MC events, we found that after all cuts there will be 1.6% (compared to $udsc$) contamination.



2 PDFs for charged and neutral components are added

Charmless background

started with ~100 2,3,4-body charmless modes from Monte Carlo



all selection cuts are applied,
 $N(\text{expected}) > 1$ event is required

end up with 29 2,3,4-body charmless modes



the biggest contributions are taken
exclusively, others are grouped together
according to their CP properties

12 PDFs are added to the Likelihood function

Charmless background

- Charged B decays(e.g. $B^+ \rightarrow \rho^0 \pi^+$):

$$P(\Delta t, \text{tag} = \pm, \text{charge} = \pm) = w_{\text{tag,charge}} e^{-|\Delta t|/\tau}$$

$$w_{\text{tag,charge}} = \{B^0 \rho^+; B^0 \rho^-; \bar{B}^0 \rho^+; \bar{B}^0 \rho^-; \text{NoTag}\}$$

- Neutral self-tagging(e.g. $B^0 \rightarrow K^{*+} \pi^-$):

$$f_{B^0 \text{tag}}^{K^{*+} \pi^-} = \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/\tau}}{4\tau} \left[1 + \frac{\Delta D}{2} + \langle D \rangle \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t) \right] w_{\text{charge}}$$

$$f_{B^0 \text{tag}}^{K^{*-} \pi^+} = \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/\tau}}{4\tau} \left[1 + \frac{\Delta D}{2} - \langle D \rangle \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t) \right] w_{\text{charge}}$$

- Neutral non-self-tagging(e.g. $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-$):

- mis-charge and mis-tag

Rates are absorbed into $S_{\text{eff}}^{\pm}, C_{\text{eff}}^{\pm}$

- for CP-eigen states,

$$S_{\text{eff}}^+ = S_{\text{eff}}^-, C_{\text{eff}}^+ = C_{\text{eff}}^-$$

$$f_{B^0 \text{tag}}^{\pm} = \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/\tau}}{4\tau} \left[1 + \left(S_{\text{eff}}^{\pm} \sin(\Delta m_d \Delta t) - C_{\text{eff}}^{\pm} \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t) \right) \right]$$

$$f_{B^0 \text{tag}}^{\mp} = \frac{e^{-|\Delta t|/\tau}}{4\tau} \left[1 + \left(S_{\text{eff}}^{\mp} \sin(\Delta m_d \Delta t) - C_{\text{eff}}^{\mp} \cos(\Delta m_d \Delta t) \right) \right]$$

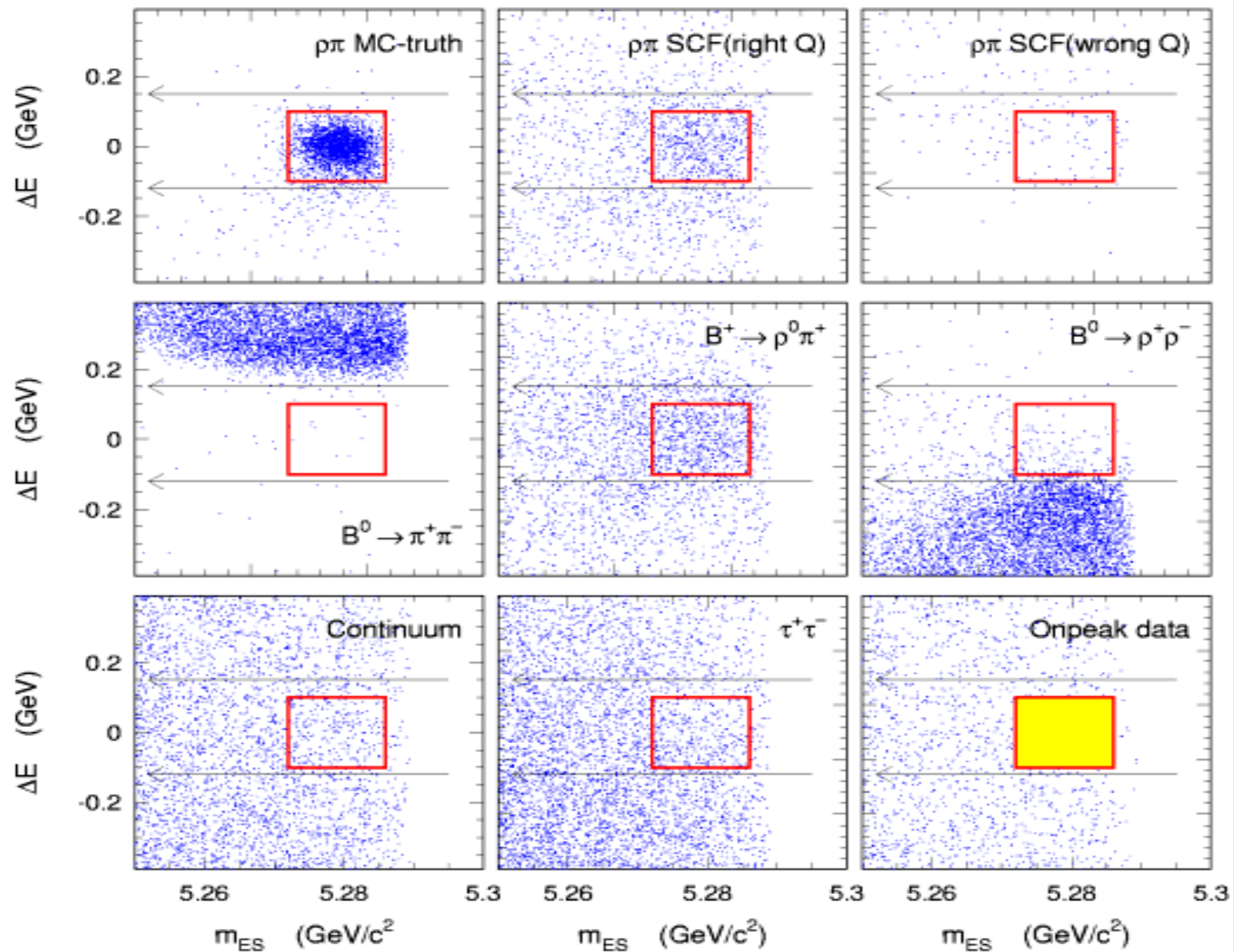
Charmless background(charged)

Cl	Id	Mode	N_{exp}^{π}	N_{exp}^K	A_{π}	A_K
0	3	$B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ K^{*0} (\rightarrow K^+ \pi^-)_{[\text{long}]}$	0.0 ± 0.0	2.8 ± 2.9	-1	-1
0	13	$B^+ \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^0_{[\text{long}]}$	21.6 ± 16.8	0.0 ± 0.0	0.09 ± 0.03	-
0	43	$B^+ \rightarrow \eta' (\rightarrow \rho^0 \gamma) \pi^+$	0.0 ± 1.0	0.0 ± 0.0	-0.86 ± 0.03	-
0	42	$B^+ \rightarrow \eta' (\rightarrow \rho^0 \gamma) K^+$	0.1 ± 0.1	7.5 ± 0.6	1	-1
1	51	$B^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 \rho^+$	17.1 ± 11.5	0.0 ± 0.0	-1	-
1	58	$B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \rho^0$	29.3 ± 8.4	0.0 ± 0.0	-0.47 ± 0.02	-
1	55	$B^+ \rightarrow K_S^0 (\rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-) \pi^+$	8.1 ± 0.9	0.0 ± 0.0	-0.76 ± 0.04	-
1	53	$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \rho^0$	0.9 ± 0.7	9.9 ± 7.6	1	-1
1	-	$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ f_X(1300)$	1.8 ± 1.4	16.2 ± 11.3	1	-1
1	57	$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ f_0(980) (\rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^-)$	1.6 ± 0.6	14.6 ± 5.0	1	-1
1	95	$B^+ \rightarrow \pi^0 K^{*+} (\rightarrow K^+ \pi^0)$	0.0 ± 0.0	6.2 ± 3.5	-	-1
2	71	$B^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^0$	0.0 ± 0.0	9.6 ± 0.9	-	-1
2	72	$B^+ \rightarrow \pi^+ \pi^0$	3.5 ± 0.7	0.0 ± 0.0	-1	-
10	-	$B^+ \rightarrow (K_X^{(**)} \pi)^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^+$	6.1 ± 3.3	4.3 ± 2.3		
10	-	$B^+ \rightarrow (K_X^{(**)} \pi)^+ \rightarrow \text{other}$	6.1 ± 6.1	0.0 ± 0.0		-
12	-	$B^+ \rightarrow (K_X^{(**)} \rho)^+ \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^+ X$	0.8 ± 0.8	1.7 ± 1.7		
7	-	$B^+ \rightarrow \text{charm}$	164 ± 36	41 ± 10	-0.21 ± 0.06	-0.75 ± 0.08

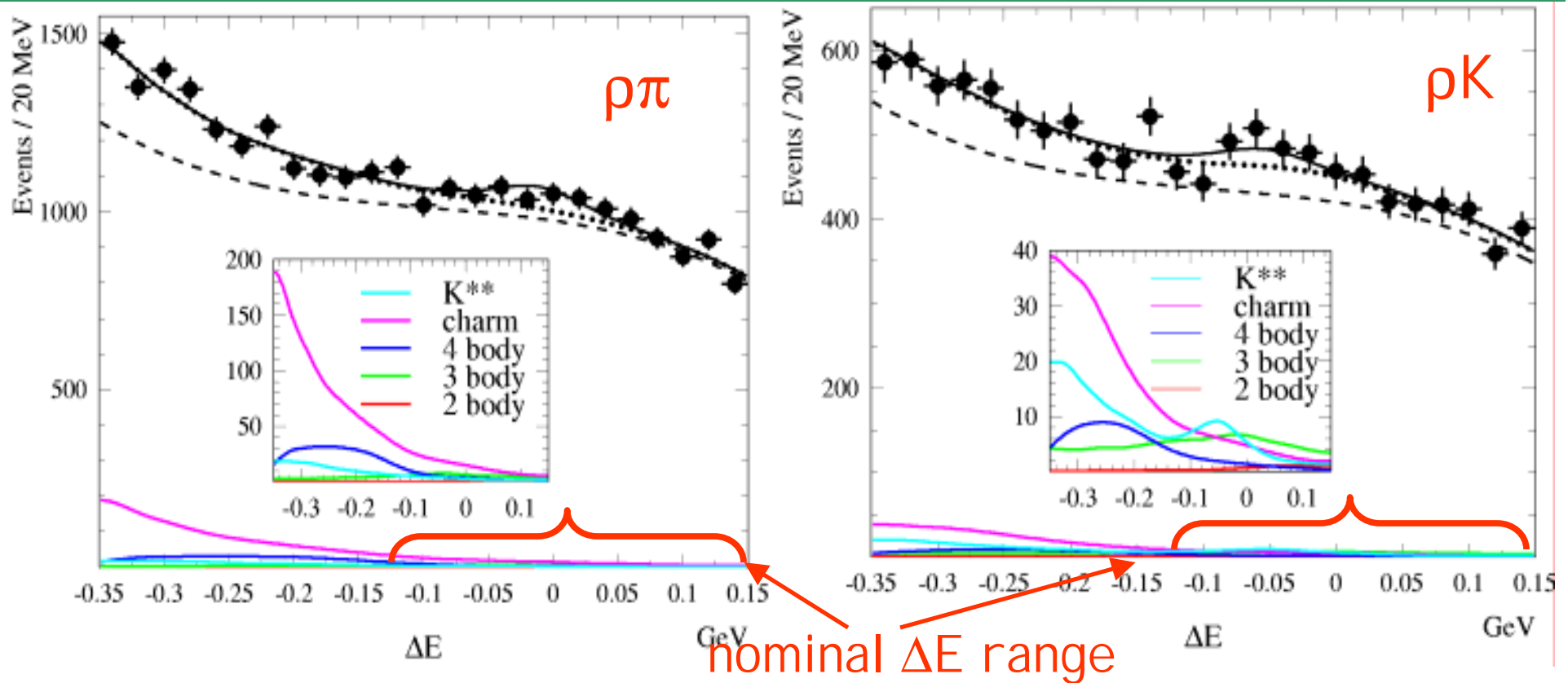
Charmless background(neutral)

Cl	Id	Mode	N_{exp}^{π}	N_{exp}^K	ΔC_{π}	ΔC_K
3	91	$B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 K^{*0} (\rightarrow K^+ \pi^-)_{[\text{long}]}$	0.2 ± 0.2	1.0 ± 1.0	?	?
3	9	$B^0 \rightarrow \rho^- K^{*+} (\rightarrow K^+ \pi^0)_{[\text{long}]}$	0.4 ± 0.4	2.8 ± 2.8	1	-1
3	44	$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- K^{*+} (\rightarrow K_S^0 \pi^+)$	2.5 ± 1.5	0.0 ± 0.0	1	-
4	15	$B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+ \rho^-_{[\text{long}]}$	<u>49.0 ± 36.8</u>	0.0 ± 0.0	-	-
4	17	$B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0 \rho^0_{[\text{long}]}$	2.4 ± 2.4	0.0 ± 0.0	-	-
5	56	$B^0 \rightarrow (a_1 \pi)^0$	8.3 ± 5.6	0.0 ± 0.0	-	-
5	56	$B^+ \rightarrow (a_1 \pi)^+$	10 ± 10	0.0 ± 0.0	?	-
5	48	$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^0 K^{*0} (\rightarrow K^+ \pi^-)$	0.0 ± 0.0	12.9 ± 7.4	-	
6	69	$B^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^-$	1.2 ± 0.2	1.5 ± 0.2		
6	45	$B^0 \rightarrow \pi^- K^{*+} (\rightarrow K^+ \pi^0)$	19.5 ± 11.2	11.5 ± 6.6		
9	86	$B^0 \rightarrow (K_X^{(**)} \pi)^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^0$	0.0 ± 0.0	36.5 ± 27.4		
9	-	$B^0 \rightarrow (K_X^{(**)} \pi)^0 \rightarrow \text{other}$	28.7 ± 28.7	24.4 ± 24.4		
11	-	$B^0 \rightarrow (K_X^{(**)} \rho)^0 \rightarrow K^+ \pi^- \pi^0 X$	0.4 ± 0.4	2.8 ± 2.8		
8	-	$B^0 \rightarrow \text{charm}$	<u>102 ± 23</u>	<u>13 ± 4</u>		

Signal and background for ΔE and M_{es}



Test of B-backgrounds in ΔE sidebands



- in the nominal analysis we cut tight $-0.12 < \Delta E < 0.15 \text{ GeV}/c^2$
- most of the B-background peaks in the low values of ΔE
- we extend our B-background and qq PDFs into negative ΔE sidebands and make sure it agrees with data

Cross-checks and systematics

- we a lot of cross checks where we fit samples of:
 - signal MC
 - signal MC+continuum
 - signal MC+B-background
 - signal MC+continuum+B-backgroundand make sure we get from fir what we put in
- to make sure fit setup is correct, we run hundreds of Toy experiments and check for biases
- for unknown branching ratios(4-body B-background) we vary in wide range the branching ratios(+100%,-50%) and study the associated systematics
- we used signal sample of $\rho\pi$ and ρK events, to fit for B-lifetime and ρK signal sample(self-tagging) to fit for the mixing frequency Δm

Yields and charge asymmetries

Preliminary

$$N_{\rho\pi} = 413^{+34}_{-33}$$

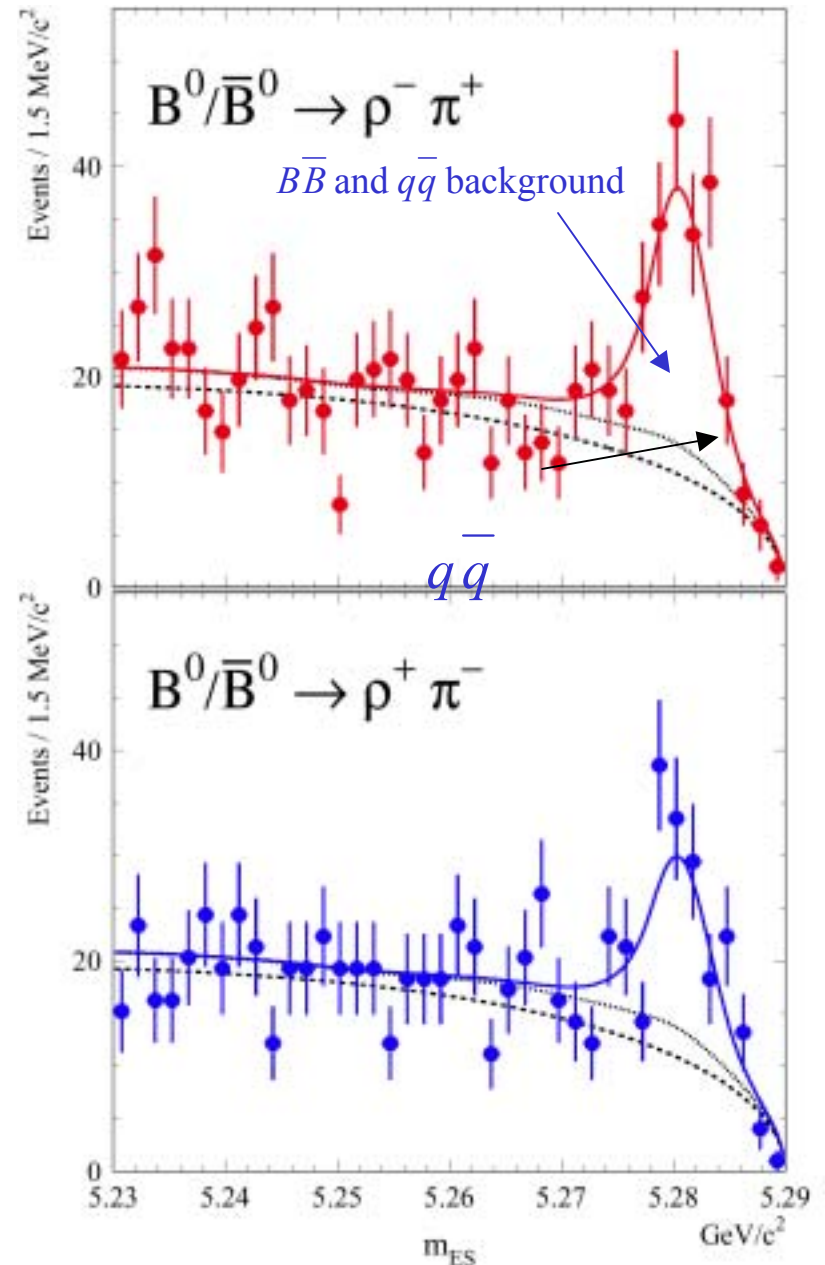
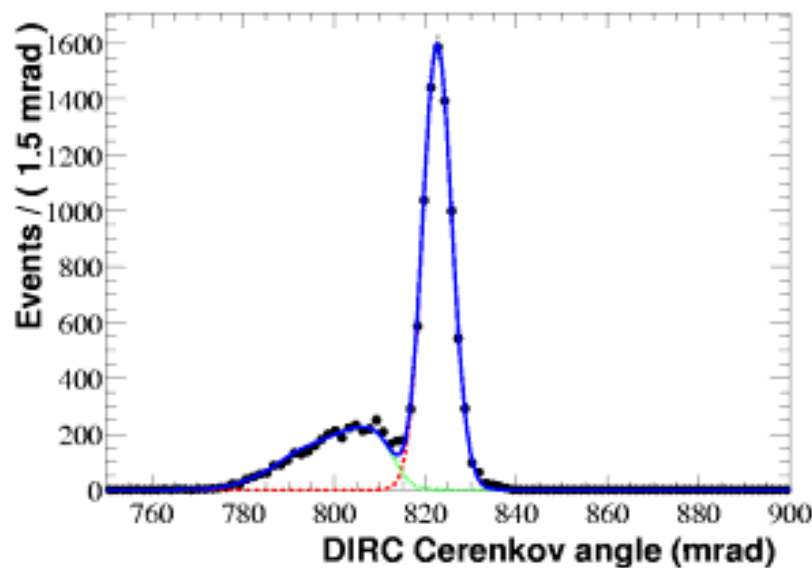
$$N_{\rho K} = 147^{+22}_{-21}$$

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$$A_{CP}^{\rho\pi} = -0.22^{+0.08}_{-0.08}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.07(\text{syst})$$

$$A_{CP}^{\rho K} = 0.19^{+0.14}_{-0.14}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.11(\text{syst})$$

RR and aa background



$B^0 \rightarrow \rho\pi$ time-dependent asymmetry

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$$C_{\rho\pi} = 0.45^{+0.18}_{-0.19}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.09(\text{syst})$$

$$S_{\rho\pi} = 0.16^{+0.25}_{-0.25}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.07(\text{syst})$$

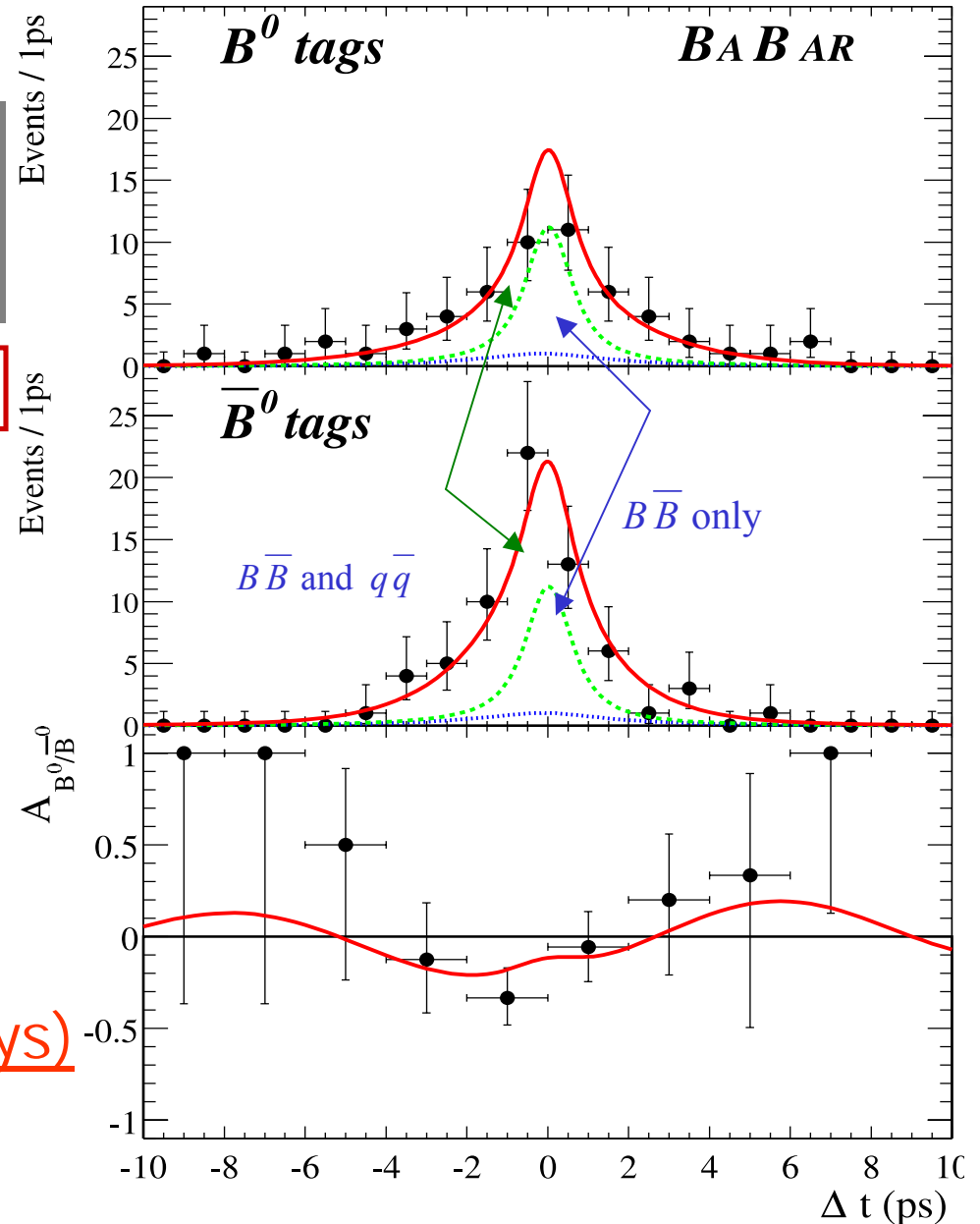
Preliminary

$$\Delta C_{\rho\pi} = 0.38^{+0.19}_{-0.20}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.11(\text{syst})$$

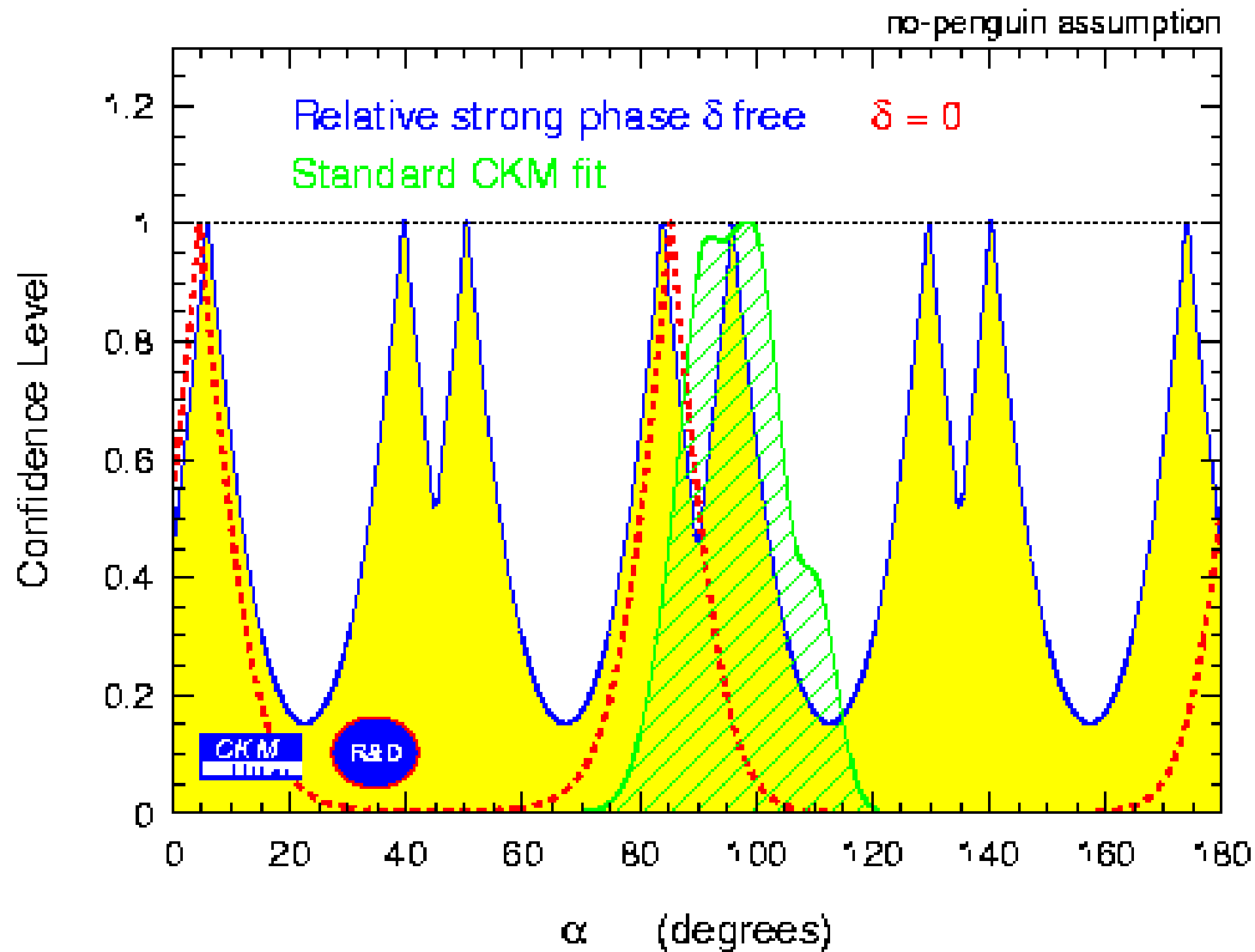
$$\Delta S_{\rho\pi} = 0.15^{+0.25}_{-0.25}(\text{stat}) \pm 0.05(\text{syst})$$

Systematic error dominated by
uncertainty on B backgrounds

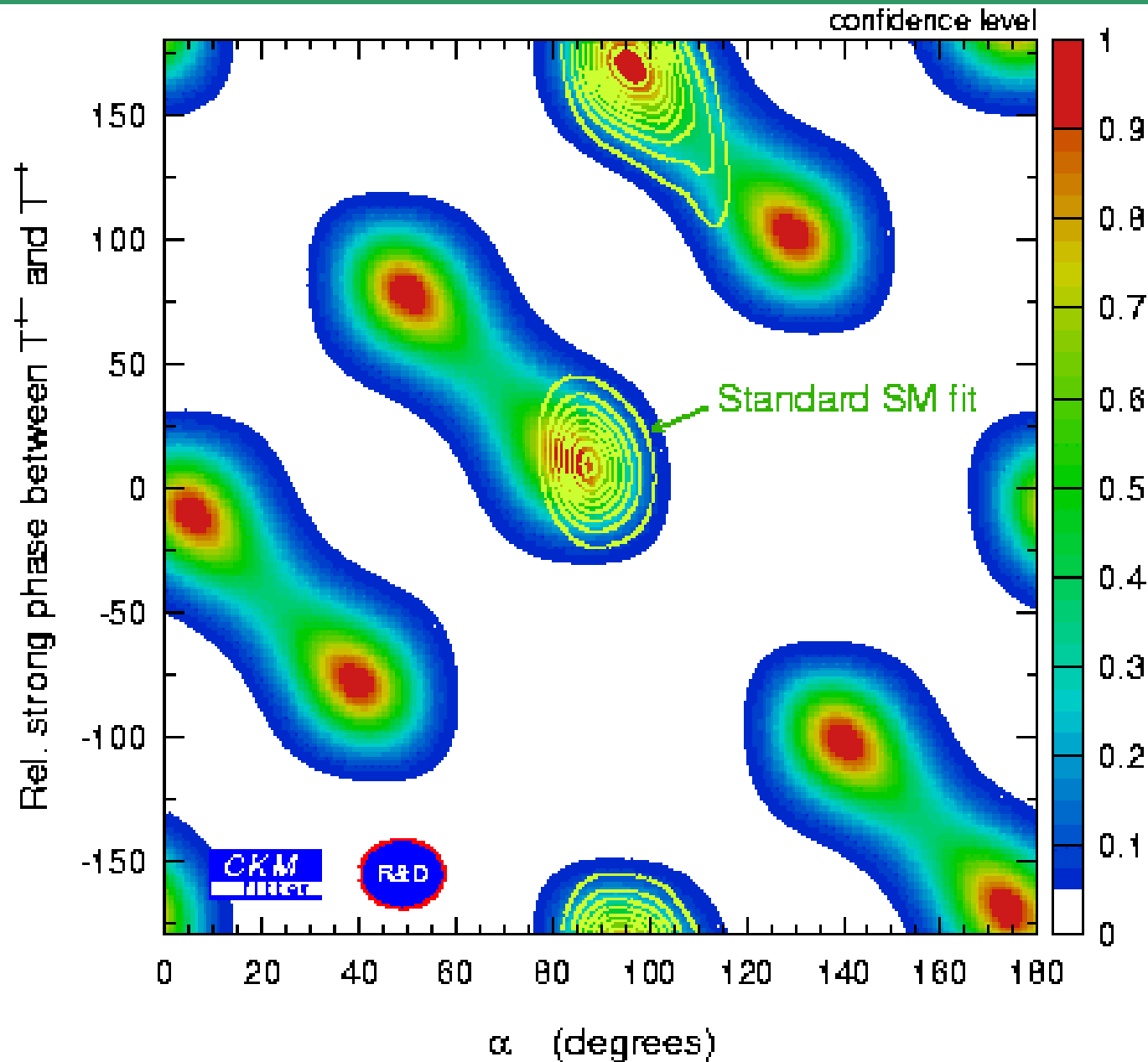
large value of C excludes
Superweak Model at 3.1(2.5 sys)
sigma level



Extraction of α (no penguins)



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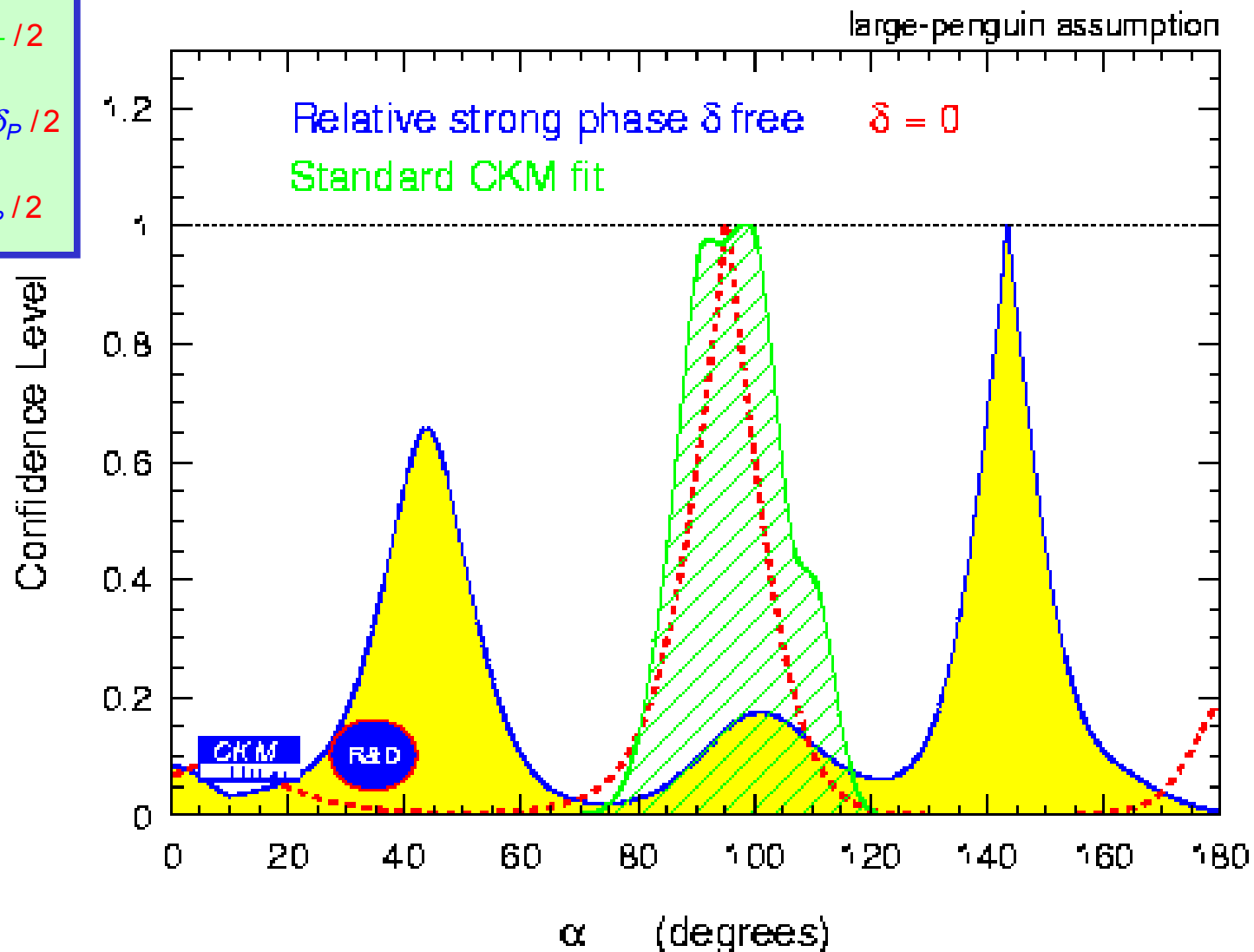
Extraction of α (large penguins)

$$T^{+-} = 1.00 \times e^{i\delta_T/2}$$

$$T^{-+} = 0.47 \times e^{-i\delta_T/2}$$

$$P^{+-} = -0.09 \times e^{i\delta_P/2}$$

$$P^{-+} = 0.01 \times e^{-i\delta_P/2}$$



Conclusion

- program designed to measure “alpha” is well under way in BaBar
- disagreement between BaBar and Belle on C and S for $\pi^+\pi^-$ analysis remains puzzling
- in overall, the prospects for “alpha” using $B^0 \rightarrow \pi\pi$ don't look too good...
- BaBar made first preliminary measurement of time-dependent CP asymmetries in $B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+\pi^-/K$, the final version of the analysis will be out soon(it would be interesting to see how Belle's numbers look like)
- work towards Dalitz plot analysis is under way ($B^0 \rightarrow \rho^0\pi^0, \dots$)
- new CP modes are under consideration($B^0 \rightarrow \rho^+\rho^-, \dots$)